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FOOD DICTATOR WOULD SEIZE STATE GRAIN

Allies Make Additional Gains In Belgian Zone

HOOVER RULING WOULD SEIZE ALL WHEAT IN STATE

Provision Allowing Elevators to Sell Stored Grain at End of 30 Days Protested

WOULD PLACE FARMER AT MERCY OF MARKET

Clause Compels Owner to Accept Price Offered at Time of Forced Sale

DISCONTINUE TRADING.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 22.—Directors of the Minneapolis chamber of commerce announced today that trading in wheat and rye futures would be discontinued after Sept. 1, in accordance with the federal food administration. The announcement followed a meeting of the board.

Instructions which if carried into effect would take out of North Dakota every bushel of seed wheat, to be bought back next spring at such prices as those controlling the seed market might care to ask; which would remove all stored grain from the control of the grower and leave it at the mercy of the market; which would tie up every bit of rolling stock the northwestern railroads have in their possession and would cause at terminal markets such a congestion that many months would be consumed in straightening things out, are contained in a circular which Herbert C. Hoover is mailing to elevators in the great grain growing states of the northwest.

Hoover's circular states:

"Regulations now governing the license for elevators require that facilities for storage be not granted to others than the food administration or its agents for a period longer than 30 days, in respect to wheat and rye.

We suggest that elevators issuing storage tickets or warehouse receipts should add in addition to the other customary provisions of such the following:

"'It is agreed that if the grain represented by this receipt shall remain in storage beyond the period of 30 days after date hereof the undersigned warehouseman is authorized to sell the same or to ship the same to the nearest terminal market for sale for the best price obtainable and shall pay over the proceeds to the holder of this receipt, less lawful storage and other charges.'"

What It Would Mean.

Literally interpreted this would mean that the farmer who stores his wheat now must not later than 30 days from date take anything he can get for it, even though the market at that time be 69 cents.

It would mean that North Dakota's 60,000,000 crop, the bulk of which now is going into elevator and warehouse storage for the lack of storage capacity on the farm, not later than 30 days from date must begin to move to the market.

It would mean that every boxcar, every locomotive, every engine and train crew which the carriers of the northwest can command would be commandeered within 30 days to move this crop to the terminal markets.

It would mean at terminal markets, with the spring wheat crop pouring in not only from North Dakota, but from South Dakota, Montana, Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska, a congestion which never has been equaled in the history of the United States.

It would mean that the North Dakota farmer who is fortunate enough to have some wheat which would make exceptionally good seed for next year's crop, would be denied the privilege of holding that grain in storage in a convenient elevator or warehouse, but that he must let it go at the end of 30 days and take his chances next spring on buying inferior seed at inflated prices such as he paid last spring.

It would mean, in the opinion of the North Dakota railway commission, the most stupendous blunder which government control and regulation ever has perpetrated.

Message to Hoover.

The commission last night wired Herbert C. Hoover as follows:

"Your suggested provisions in the storage tickets apparently apply to country elevator transactions. We think the provision should not apply to producers, whom we understood were exempt from the hoarding prohibition of the law.

"Elevators here can store a large part of our small crop and we cannot see a necessity for forcing this grain to terminal elevators and producing congestion and undue strain on transportation and terminal elevator facilities. This is especially true if the grain can be purchased and stored in the country, making the best of the crops available for next spring.

The commission requests that Mr. Hoover forward full regulations covering the storage and food, and suggests that closer co-operation with

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HE MAY BE BIG CHIEF OF ALL U. S. TROOPS

GENERAL T.H. BARRY

Here's the latest picture of Gen. Thomas H. Barry, likely to become chief of staff of the United States army when Gen. Hugh L. Scott retires September 22 because of the age limit. Barry is commander of the central department, with headquarters in Chicago.

DAKOTANS TO PROTEST PRICE AT WASHINGTON

Delegation Headed by Quamme of Loan Bank Off to Argue With Hoover

COSTS FARMER $1.70 TO RAISE BUSHEL OF WHEAT

St. Paul, Aug. 22.—E. G. Quamme, president of the Federal Loan bank of St. Paul, will leave tonight for Washington, heading a delegation of farmers and business men from North Dakota and Minnesota, who represent the farmers of their district in the protest fixing $1.65 a bushel as the price for wheat.

Thomas Cooper, director of the extension department of the North Dakota agricultural college, one of the delegation, declared today that $1.70 per bushel is the cost to the farmer of raising his crops under the present conditions, and points out that the price suggested by H. C. Hoover, food administrator, will entail an average loss of 30c to 40c a bushel to the farmers of the northwest.

J. Finch of Fargo, another of the delegation, declared that the farmers will not sell their grain at the price proposed.

"Some farmers have said they will hold their grain rather than sell at a loss, and some have declared that they will burn it."

"The situation is extremely critical," said Mr. Quamme today. "If the price is not definitely set, it means that farmers of the northwest will plant very small crops next year."

IMPOSTER GETS COMMISSION AS SECOND LIEUT.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Secret service officials here are said to have been advised today that an imposter secured a first lieutenant's commission at Fort Sheridan training camp by using the name of L. C. Robinson of Hoopeston, Ill., a sophomore at Wesleyan university, Bloomington, Ill.

An investigation has been started. The story, as related to the officials here, is that Robinson applied for entrance to the training camp, but hearing nothing from his application, supposed he was rejected and went on a vacation in Wisconsin. The officials are declared to have discovered that the government summons were stolen and presented by another man.

He made an excellent showing at the camp and was awarded a first lieutenant's commission. He left on leave and gave orders that his mail be forwarded to Hampton, Iowa.

Robinson started the investigation when he read in the newspapers while in the Wisconsin woods that he had been awarded a commission.

BLACKLEG APPEARS

John Whittmeyer of Upham Loses Four Cattle to Plague

Upham, N. D., Aug. 22.—John Whittmeyer has lost four cattle through blackleg a disease not common in this section since pioneer days, and there is a big demand for government vaccine.

FUEL FAMINE IN SIGHT; COUNCIL WIRES CONGRESS

Dr. V. H. Stickney Advises Representatives State Is Million Tons Short of Needs

CONGRESSMEN INFORMED THAT ACTION IS NEEDED

Situation Should Be Remedied at Once, Says Officer Recently at Coal Conference

ABANDONS PLAN.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Having determined the prices to be charged for bituminous coal at the mines throughout the country, President Wilson today turned his attention to the task of electing a man to head the coal administration.

The president is believed to have abandoned the Federal Trade Commission's proposal to commandeer the output of the mines and sell the product to the public.

Dr. V. H. Stickney, chairman of the North Dakota state council of defense, today wired North Dakota representatives in congress that the eastern part of the state of North Dakota is now a million tons short of its normal supply of coal. Dr. Stickney has just returned from attending the conference of the councils of defense of the northwestern states.

"The coal situation in the eastern part of North Dakota is becoming more serious every day," Dr. Stickney wired. "We are now a million tons short of the normal supply and I find the dealers are unable to get eastern coal. This situation should be remedied. We need your help. Advise what is being done."

Situation Critical.

"The threatened fuel shortage in this section of the country is very critical," stated Secretary F. O. Hellstrom at the offices of the North Dakota defense council here today.

LIGNITE COAL IS UP.

Although lignite coal has advanced 25 cents per ton since last spring, it still can be laid down in Fargo for $3.55 the ton, and after a reasonable profit has been added by the retailer should go to the consumer as by far the cheapest coal he can buy. Owing to an enormous advance in the price of steel and increased labor costs, the price of lignite has been advanced 25 cents per ton over the quotation last spring. It now sells for $2.50 at the mouth of the mine, and is retailing in Bismarck at $3.50, as against $3.25 last spring. No further advance is immediately anticipated so far as F. J. McCormick, Bismarck manager for the Washburn Lignite Coal Co., is able to state.

Governor Frazier this morning advised that he has taken cognizance of the increase in price of lignite, but while he made no definite statement he left the impression that he inclines to agree with Dr. V. H. Stickney, president of the North Dakota defense council, that increases made to date have not been unreasonable or unwarranted. Dr. Stickney has returned from the coal conference of the defense council, which has adjourned temporarily awaiting reports.

SLASH COAL PRICES.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—The Consumers Company, Chicago, said to be the largest retail coal dealers in the world today, announced a slash of, from $1.00 to $1.80 on soft coal, effective immediately. This is in line with the price fixed by President Wilson. Other dealers will make similar cuts at once, it is said. It is estimated the reductions will cut Chicago's coal bill by $30,000,000.

NO SMOKIN' IN BERLIN STREETS

Amsterdam, Aug. 22.—According to a Berlin newspaper, police in Germany intend to prohibit smoking in the streets, in view of the decline in tobacco stocks.

Big Food Survey For Entire Nation

Washington, Aug. 22.—The department of agriculture set in motion today the machinery for taking a nation wide census of the food supply. The survey including 100 different warehouses, stores, and even in family larders.

A preliminary census of eighteen of the principal commodities will be taken within the next month and a complete survey will follow after the season's crops are gathered.

RUSSIA'S BIG PROBLEM IS TO OVERCOME PAST

Wreckage Left by Old Regime Must Be Cleared Away First Says Russell

WORST GOVERNMENT ON EARTH BUNGLED MATTERS

Trans-Siberian Railroad Could Do Only One-Third of Its Normal Work

CONCERN OVER RUSSIA.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—Official dispatches have been received from Russia within the last 24 hours of such a character as to cause some concern over the situation they picture. They will not be made public, much less be discussed at this time by American officials, who regard them as indicating a condition with which the provisional government has to deal.

The extent of German intrigue in Russia is well known and subject matter of the dispatches probably is connected with that.

This is the fourth article by Charles Edward Russell, Tribune staff writer, since his return from Russia, where he spent three months as a member of President Wilsons official Root commission to the Russian provisional government.

By CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL.

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The Russians are fighting and struggling on toward an advanced and stable form of democratic government, but they still have the legs of the Old Man of the Sea around their necks.

The remains of the seven times accursed old system still hamper them. They canned the czar, but they couldn't can all of the vast swarm of evils that the czar style of government had nailed down upon them.

Everything in the old autocratic government of Russia that wasn't done corruptly was done stupidly and everything that wasn't stolen was bashed.

The government, good or bad, of a nation of 180,000,000 people stretched over a continent 6000 miles wide means a colossal machine—that is to say, offices and men at work in them.

The revolution ousted the chief engineers of the Russian machine, but it couldn't possibly oust all the millions of cogs, wheels and pistons.

Also, it could not possibly change at once the methods and plans by which these did, or were supposed to do, their work.

Worst Government.

But it began to strip the cover from these methods and plans and revealed in detail what had been beyond doubt the very worst government ever known on this earth.

Everything about it was done badly except the police job. When it came to watching, overawing and terror-

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Old Books and Magazines for The Soldiers

There is a pressing need for reading materials to be sent to the cantonments and later to France. Bismarck has been made state headquarters for the collection of books and magazines for the soldiers in training and those already in France.

Mrs. Minnie Budlong, secretary of the state library commission, has charge of this work for the state. Little work has been done locally and today Mrs. Budlong issues an appeal for old books and periodicals. They can be brought to the Public Library at the Commercial club where they will be listed and prepared for shipment.

Any town in Burleigh county can gather books and magazines and then notify Mrs. Budlong. Don't ship any reading material to Bismarck until instructed to do so. It is planned to ship them directly from the point of collection to avoid double handling.

It is believed there are many books and magazines in the Capital City that can be spared to give the soldiers plenty of reading material. Any kind of a book can be given. If it is worn out or of little general interest, it will be sold as old paper and new books purchased with the funds.

Just bring an armful of books and magazines to the Commercial club on your way to work tomorrow.

It is a little thing to do for the boys in the trenches.

400 Women Wanted Now For Red Cross Knitting

Four hundred women workers are needed to carry on the work of the Burleigh county chapter of the Red Cross.

Join a local auxiliary or register now on the second floor of the Postoffice building where the central workroom of the chapter is located. The special need is knitting. Winter is approaching and many warm articles must be knit for the boys who will go across the seas.

Only a start has been made. The women of Bismarck are not thoroughly aroused to the necessity of devoting their energies to sewing and knitting for the Red Cross.

If you do not know how, you can learn. Competent instructors are in attendance at the central workroom and will be pleased to give free lessons in sewing and knitting.

It only costs on dollar to belong to the Red Cross. It costs nothing, however, to be a volunteer worker. Membership is not essential. The Burleigh county chapter wants workers who will give so many hours a week to this work.

Those who desire to enroll as members of the chapter can forward their memberships to Mr. F. L. Conklin.

But the pressing necessity just now is for WORKERS.

BE A RED CROSS WORKER. GET INTO THE RELIEF TRENCHES HERE IN BISMARCK.

A KNITTING NEEDLE HAS BECOME A WEAPON OF WAR. IT'S USE HERE IN BISMARCK MAY BE THE MEANS OF SAVING A LIFE. MAYBE YOUR BOY'S.

GET INTO THE HOME TRENCHES NOW.

IRISH SHOULDER BATTLE'S BRUNT BEFORE YPRES

Their Names Will Be Immortal In Annals of Island's History

FACE TERRIFIC MACHINE FIRE FROM BAVARIANS

British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 22.—The story of the valiant fight waged by Irish battalions, both Ulster men and South of Ireland men, in the latest British offensive northeast of Ypres, will make their names immortal in Irish annals.

The ground over which the Irish troops fought Tuesday may roughly be placed as lying between Fortuin on the north and Frezenburg on the south. Immediately in front of the Irish was undulating ground. Every knoll was a strong Bavarian position, with myriads of machine guns so placed on the crests that a deluge of bullets could be poured into an attacking army.

Shoulder to shoulder they moved out among the obstacles at the break of day hogging at every step. The Irishmen found themselves facing fire from every machine gun before them, a vicious, steady stream of lead breast high across the whole battlefield. The Ulstermen plunged into the gun pits at Pona farm, near Fortuin and a fierce struggle followed. They fought until the last German crumbled beside his gun. There was intense fighting at every step as they advanced. Numerous redoubts were encountered, and in most cases it was a hand to hand fight to a finish with a stubborn enemy.

North of Frezenburg was a redoubt called Borry farm, holding 60 to 80 Bavarians with machine guns. The position was too strong for the infantry to take. The Irishmen battled on until the troops which assayed an attack on the fortifications lay dead or wounded before it. But others pushed forward to Hill 35, and for a time that point was actually in British hands.

Prisoners at Walla Walla Pen Start Rebellion

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 22.—Every window on one side of the state penitentiary here has been broken and cell doors are said to be weakening as a result of continued hammering by prisoners, who began a mutiny yesterday.

INVESTIGATE AFFIDAVIT

Slope People Question School Teacher's Dependency Claim

Amidon, N. D., Aug. 22.—Leonal J. Wells, Peaceful Valley township school teacher, is being investigated on the strength of an affidavit made to the Slope county exemption board stating that his parents were dependent on him for support. Queries he said to have developed the fact that his parents own a farm and that other brothers living nearby contribute to their support.

SECOND DRAFT EARLY IN 1918 IS PROSPECT

Expected First Increment of 678,000 Will Be Completed Sometime in October

TRAINING FACILITIES ARE TAXED TO THE LIMIT

Washington, Aug. 22.—A full statistical report on the operations of the draft law will be prepared by the provost marshal general's office as soon as the organization of the first increment of 687,000 men of the national army has been completed sometime in October.

In the meantime, no definite course calling the second increment to the colors will be taken.

Training facilities already are taxed to make ready for the men now available, and it is regarded as very unlikely that organizations of additional 500,000 men for the national army can be begun until the early spring of 1918.

Neither quarters nor personnel to train the force will be available before that time.

FOREST FIRES IN MONTANA AND IDAHO

Missoula, Mont., Aug. 22.—United States forest officials said today that they were facing the worst fire situation that has arisen in western Montana and Idaho since the district was swept by a general conflagration in 1910. A rapidly growing fire west of Lolo Springs was fanned beyond control by a gale.

A large fire near Beeley Lake is spreading. Fires just across the state line in Idaho have been surrounded by fire lines and will be restricted until another call should arise.

German Socialists Clamor for Peace

Copenhagen, Aug. 22.—After Chancellor Michaelis informed the main committee of the Reichstag Tuesday that Germany would not reply to the peace note, until she had consulted her allies, Socialist speakers who followed him said they favored the Pope's action as they would welcome any step capable of bringing peace, and all the more because it was expected to bear results.

The centrists associated themselves with the chancellor's remarks and said the pope's proposal marked extraordinary valuable progress toward peace, which was so ardently desired by all nations. They hoped that the proposals would meet with full success.

The national liberal speakers said they were unable as yet to examine closely the content of the papal note or endorse the chancellor's statement. The conservatives also associated themselves with Dr. Michaelis' remarks, but reserved their attitude with regard to details.

RAPID BLOWS DRIVE GERMANS BEFORE YPRES

Important Positions Captured by British Are Hotly Contested by Teutons

FRENCH OFFENSIVE NEAR VERDUN IS PROGRESSING

Vienna Concedes That Italians Have Made Important Gains Against Austrians

(By Associate Press.)

Another of the rapid succession of blows which the British and French are striking at various points along the Franco-Belgian front fell this morning on the Germans in the Ypres, where the British were held last week in their drive in conjunction with the French forces to the north. At dawn the British advanced over the fiercely contested field between Langemarck and Frezenberg. No details of the new battle have been received thus far. The importance of those positions is shown by the desperate counter attacks last week by the Germans after Irish troops had made considerable headway.

Sharp Fighting Continues.

Sharp fighting continues around Lens, in the outskirts of which the British are making progress in spite of the determined resistance of the Germans. Counter attacks during the night failed to shake the British from their new positions and further gains at some points are reported officially from London.

Continue Their Efforts.

The Germans last night continued their efforts to recapture the ground gained in the new French offensive, on the Verdun front. Heavy counter attacks were made on both sides of the Meuse, and although the Germans were enabled to gain a footing temporarily in the new French positions at points, they were soon driven out. The number of prisoners taken by the French has reached 6,116. Several strong attacks by the Germans on the Aisne front during the night were repulsed.

Loss of Selo.

Vienna concedes that the Italians have forced back the Austrians at the loss of the village of Selo, on the some points in the new battle of Izonzo. The Austrian war office reports Carso front, and, the territory below Auzza, on the Izonzo south of Palmino. It is said more than 5,600 Italians have been captured. Early today ten German aeroplanes approached the Trentish coast of England, and although they were unable to penetrate far inland, dropped bombs on the port of Dover. Two of the planes were brought down. Three persons were killed and two injured by bombs.

Several airships visited the Yorkshire coast in England during the night. Only slight damages were inflicted. Bombs were dropped on Humber.

13,000 PRISONERS.

Rome, Aug. 22.—More than 13,000 Austro-Hungarian prisoners have been captured by the Italians in their offensive on the Izonzo front, the Italian war department announced today. The Italians have also taken 13 guns.

General Cadorna reports that the Italians have gained new successes along the whole battle line. North of Gorizia the operations are proceeding regularly. To the north the struggle is localizing, especially on the Carso front.

GLEN ULLIN MAN IN BAD FOR DRAWING BIG CHECK WITHOUT FUNDS

E. Urdea, Garage Man, Alleged to Have Bought Automobile With "Scrap of Paper"

E. Urdea, arrested at Glen Ullin last night on a charge of issuing a check for $852.60 on the Farmers' State bank at Glen Ullin in which it is claimed he had no funds, was lodged in jail here at noon today, and this afternoon he will be arraigned before Justice Blackreid.

The check was made payable to L. F. Mohowald, Bismarck agent for the Allen automobile, and was given in payment for a car, which Urdea is alleged to have driven to Glen Ullin, where he is engaged in the garage business, and there disposed of it, it is claimed.

So far as can be gleaned from the defendant's statement he had a buyer for the car before he came to Bismarck, and he hoped to beat the check back to Glen Ullin and get the necessary money into the bank there before the check showed up for payment.

Deputy Sheriff Rollin Welch and Chief of Police Martinson made the arrest driving to Glen Ullin yesterday afternoon.

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NEWS OF NORTH DAKOTA AND NORTHWEST

GAME BOARD DOES NOT AGREE WITH LANGER'S OPINION

Commission Thinks Bird Season Opens September 16 as Specified by Law

Steele, N. D., Aug. 22.—"So far as the fish and game board is concerned, we are inclined to believe that the bird season opens Sunday, September 16," said Secretary George M. Hogue today. "The facts that the season chances to open on Sunday and that shooting is prohibited on Sunday are matters for the state's attorneys and the sportsmen to consider. So far as I know, our deputies have not been instructed to arrest men for violations of the Sunday laws. I talked with Attorney General Langer this morning, and he seemed to agree that the enforcement of the Sunday laws was up to the state's attorneys and not the game wardens. He denied having issued instructions to deputy game wardens which have been attributed to him."

The matter as between the attorney general and the game and fish board seems to be rather hazy. The attorney general is a member of the board. It was reported yesterday on good authority that he had advised deputy game wardens that Sunday shooting could not be permitted. That report brought a hornet's nest buzzing around the ears of the attorney general today and he sidestepped with a [illegible] denial. As a member of the game board he is not interested in Sunday observance. As chief peace officer of the state he is, and it was in his latter capacity he is said to declare that his orders were [illegible].

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JOY-RIDE FOR FARM LABORERS PATRIOTIC DUTY, ASSERTS LETH

Saving of Time Pointed Out as Important in Letter From Efficiency Expert

Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 22.—Use of the automobile to take farm laborers to the farms as a patriotic duty, as expediting work during the harvest, is urged by Robert J. Leth, state farm specialist of the United States department of agriculture, whose headquarters are in this city.

"Business men ought to form an automobile squad in every town and city throughout the state to aid in the work," says Mr. Leth, in a letter to all county representatives. "If one man can place five laborers on the job two hours earlier than would otherwise be possible it constitutes the same as a ten hour day work. The idea is practical and will greatly help conditions at this time."

TRAVELS THREE DAYS TO REACH AMIDON IN TIME

Hans Johnson of Maple Creek, Sask., Believed to Be State Champion on Distance

Amidon, N. D., Aug. 22.—Hans Johnson, formerly of the Rainey Butte country, traveled all the way from Maple Creek, Saskatchewan, to Amidon in order to be on hand when his registration number was called. He is believed to be North Dakota's champion long distance registrant. The journey consumed three days. Johnson passed his examination, was accepted for service and has been certified to the district board.

Didn't Register Until He Could Find Out How Old He Was--Accepted

Amidon, N. D., Aug. 22.—Claiming he had not registered earlier because he could not be certain that he was of the required age until he had communicated with his parents in Minnesota, Martin Gilbertson presented himself before the local exemption board this week and was permitted to register.

HEAVY FINES AND JAIL SENTENCES FOR DESTROYERS

Nine Wobblies Who Threatened to Wreck Farm Machinery Given Speedy Justice

Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 22.—I. W. W.'s started their first real activity at trouble making in Stutsman county for the 1917 season yesterday at Montpelier when they threatened to destroy machinery and set fire to the farm home of Chris Hendrickson, well known Montpelier farmer. There were nine "wobblies" in the gang and they were receiving $4.00 per day, with room and board. They struck for higher wages, which brot on the clash. Sheriff Ross made a hurry up trip to Montpelier and dispersed the "I Won't Workers without further trouble.

Three field secretaries of the organization, namely, Arthur J. Kelly, Thomas Jenkins, and Andrew Lindblade, arrested in this city last week or disorderly conduct in attempting to sign up members in this community were sentenced to forty-three days in jail and fined $50 apiece when arraigned yesterday.

"This looks like a kangaroo court to me," said Jenkins bitterly when the sentence was imposed.

"Ten days more for contempt of court," said Police Magistrate Murphy.

"We can't get justice here," spoke up Kelly, when sentenced. "Well have to take matters into our own hands. There'll be a general walk out declared here in short order. We can get a square deal for we've got Governor Frazier back of us."

Sheriff Ross and other officers are preparing for further trouble here and it is likely special deputies will be sworn into service at once.

DESART FARMER KILLED WHEN BINDER TEAM RUNS

Ernest W. Johnston Had Stepped in Front of Machine When Horses Started Dash

Desart, N. D., Aug. 22.—Ernest W. Johnston of Desart was killed when a four horse team drawing a binder ran away. Mr. Johnson was in the road, en route from the fields to his house for dinner when the keeler stage drew up along side, and his horses broke into a run. Mr. Johnson succeeded in stopping them and stepped down in front of the binder to repair some part which had been broken when the team started again, trampling him under their feet and crushing his body under the bull wheel of the binder. The deceased was 35 years old and unmarried and had just completed a fine new home.

EIGHT-YEAR-OLD BOY RISKS LIFE TO SAVE BROTHER

Carl Beckman Being Advanced by Friends as Candidate for Carnegie Medal

Amidon, N. D., Aug. 22.—An eight year-old son of Carl Beckman is proposed as a candidate for a Carnegie medal as a result of the heroism he displayed when at the risk of his own life he rescued his little brother from a burning barn. The youngsters had climbed into the rawhow to investigate a new born family of kittens, and in order that they might have a better view of the babies, one of the children lighted a match. A moment later the mow was a sheet of flames. Everyone scramble for the ladder, and the little tot in the excitement was overlooked. When the eight year-old boy discovered that his baby brother was missing he found his way back through the fire and rescued the half suffocated youngster.

FORTY STEERS AVERAGE 1692 POUNDS AND BRING $14 PER HUNDREDWEIGHT

Cattle Bred by Miss Petrie of London Top Chicago Beef Market at $210 per Head

Centerville, S. D., Aug. 22.—Forty shorthorn steers averaging 1692 pounds, bred by Miss Petrie at London, N. D., and marketed by T. L. Sanderson of Centerville, sold on the Chicago market at $14 the hundred. They were part of a shipment of eighteen loads, all Shorthorns, which brought $55,025, averaging $210 the head. Miss Petrie's herd has been built up by the use of registered sires until it is now one of the most famous in all the northwest, and Miss Petrie isn't even a suffragette.

HAY RUNS TWO TONS TO ACRE ON STANDING ROCK RESERVATION

Native Grass Yield Is High and Price f. o. b. Cars at Selfridge is $17.50

Selfridge, N. D., Aug. 22.—James Davis, who is putting up hay on the reservation near here, reports that the yield is averaging nearly two tons to the acre, and that from a trifle less than a section which he is now cutting he will realize 800 tons which will sell to Montana stockmen in 100-ton lots at $17.50 per ton, f. o. b. Selfridge. A yield of $20 to $25 on wild leased land in a crop which has only to be harvested is a fair return for one's money, thinks Mr. Davis, who can't believe that North Dakota is bound for the demnition bowwows.

MINOT CLAIMS $2,225,000 BUILDING RECORD IN YEAR

Unusual Amount of Construction in Progress in Magic City—Materials Scarce

Minot, N. D., Aug. 22.—"Business as usual" can surely be claimed as Minot's slogan. Statistics show that $2,225,000 building operations are now in progress and that two and a half million dollars in buildings have been completed since January 1 or are now under construction. Had not the war made it difficult to secure material, the total would be larger. Extravations for many buildings have been made but the material for construction is not available. In most instances the new buildings are for wholesale concerns' buildings.

STUTSMAN COUNTY AUDITOR CLAIMS PATRIOTIC FAMILY

Three Sons in Army While Wife and Daughter Are Sewing Shirts for Soldiers

Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 22.—County Auditor Andrew Blewett, could he find the time to spare from his duties as clerk of the local exemption board, could easily lay claim to being the most patriotic official in the state and also to having the most patriotic family. County Auditor Blewett is working night and day with the Stutsman county exemption board, in addition to handling his duties as county auditor.

He has three sons now serving the colors. George, formerly with the Associated Press in New York city, is now with an ambulance corps there, awaiting call to active service in France. Joseph is with an infantry company stationed at California. Phil is a member of Jamestown Co. H, North Dakota Infantry.

Mrs. Blewett and daughter, Miss Margaret, are aiding the Red Cross work here daily.

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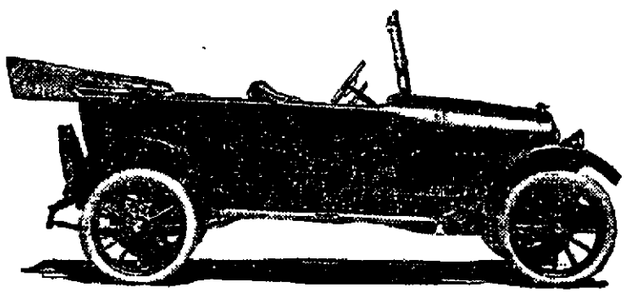

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FRAZIER DECLINES TO DISCUSS CASE

Witholds Comment on Report That Removal of Mercer Board May Be Asked

Governor Frazier this morning declined to comment on a Mandan news story to the effect that Sheriff Haevischer and Auditor Carl Semmler of Mercer county have been exempting naturalized Germans and other citizens formerly allegiance to the central powers and who now have leanings toward the side of their fatherland. He admitted that he had been called up in relation to the matter by the newspaper publishing the report, but he refused to discuss the matter further.

It was stated at the governor's office that fears that such a contingency might arise resulted some time ago in removing one member of the Mercer county board and substituting the county judge for him. Adjutant General Fraser, while interested in the report, had received no complaints directly, nor had the district board, according to Chairman Birdzell.

"The matter is one for the governor and the president to consider," said Judge Birdzell.

While the story emanating from across the river hints at grave charges against the two board members named, no direct accusation is made other than that they have been inclined to favor countrymen who once owed allegiance to the kaiser and the Austrian crown, and that registrants of this class have been treated more liberally than other in considering claims for exemptions.

Tribune want ads will bring results.

New Dieting Advice.

An anxious young theological student once asked Henry Ward Beecher what was the best and most successful method of preparing for a lecture or sermon. The reply shot back in one sentence, "Just fill yourself chock full of your subject and then let nature caper!" And the best general advice for hygienic dieting runs along similar lines; just spread a liberal table and then let your appetite caper.—Exchange.

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RELICS OF ANCIENT DISASTERS REVEALED TO WORLD AS WATERS OF MISSOURI REACH LOWEST EBB

Wrecks Which Have Lain Undisturbed at Bottom of River for Quarter Century and More Brought to Service by Drying Up of Great Stream—Ferry Service Handicapped by Derelicts Which Will Be Moved From Old Resting Place.

Locked for a third of a century in the bosom of the Big Muddy, victims of that treacherous stream are this summer coming back to the world of air and sunshine.

Pioneer river boats lodged for 33 years in the soft sands of the bottom, and old fashioned flat cars that plunged over the ends of the awkward ferries before a railroad bridge was scarcely more than dreamed of, are peering questioningly above the turbid waters at a world new to them, and scraping resentfully on the smooth and glossy bottom of the new ferry that plies from bank to bank of the big stream.

For many days past the captain of the Marion has noticed the boat scraping on something in the water. Investigation disclosed that the unusual dryness of the season at the headwaters of the river has reduced the flow to such a low level that many sunken objects are now at the surface of the water. The particular victim of the big river upon which the Marion bade fair to run afoul was an antiquated ferry that belonged to the H. R. Lyon Ferry company in the early eighties and went to its watery grave during the high waters of '84. Some Northern Pacific flat cars that proved too great a burden for the railroad ferry about the same time are also now at the surface.

To Clear Flotsam.

The present ferry company is making arrangements to have the wreckage removed from the path of its boat to obviate any possible disaster from a violent collision.

Never in the memory of the oldest old timers have the Missouri and the Heart rivers been at so low a stage as this summer. There isn't even a wading place in the Heart, and scarcely a swimming hole in the Missouri. The Missouri ferry operators have changed leadings several times in search of a place deep enough to permit safe landing for boat and passengers. The service, however, has been excellent, and even with the big boat disabled with broken machinery, continues to be better than ever before.

STANTON FARMER VICTIM OF WHITE PLAGUE HERE

Lewis Brewster Passes Away at Mandan Hospital After Brave Fight for Life

Lewis Brewster, Stanton farmer, 32 years old, died at the hospital Monday morning from tuberculosis. The funeral was held from the Kennelly chapel Tuesday afternoon. Rev. F. W. Thompson officiated.

The deceased was born in Wisconsin and come to North Dakota seven years ago. He located on a farm in the Stanton vicinity, where he had since lived. He was for a long time a sufferer from the malignant disease, and his condition was serious when he was brought to the hospital. He was also suffering from an attack of acute appendicitis when brought to Mandan, and it was necessary for him to undergo an operation, although it was feared he would not survive.

He is survived by his father, who was with him at the time of his death.

NEARLY SCORE ENTERED IN PATRIOTIC TOURNEY

Tennis Fans of Mandan Enjoying Excellent Meet on Association Courts

With nearly a score entered in the singles and doubles events, a "patriotic tennis tournament" was launched on the local association courts the last of the week and is now in full swing, with the old timers who have led in tennis circles here for years apparently pulling out ahead.

In the first round W. A. Peterson put P. A. Smith out of the running 6-2, 6-2; Charlie Pierce eliminated Dr. Nichols, 6-0, 7-5; A. H. Peterson eliminated E. R. Lanterman 6-2, 12-10; Kelch and Brinsmade, Cary and Convert passed the first round on byes. George Wilson and Walter Tostevin played the hardest fought games of the first round, the count running 2-6, 9-7, 6-0 for Wilson. Several times during the second set Tostevin was within a point of taking it and eliminating Wilson. Lanterman's comeback in the second set with Peterson was a feature of the first round, also. He played the banker nearly off his feet for a time.

In the second round begun Monday, Wilson eliminated Pierce 6-2, 6-3 in two snappy sets, and Cary and Convert did battle royal until darkness stopped them and continued Tuesday.

WESTERN BUTTERMAKERS WILL MEET IN MANDAN

Conference to Be Held in Conjunction With Missouri Slope Exposition

The Western Buttermakers' association will hold a regular meeting in Mandan the last day of the fair, Sept 30. It is expected, according to H. C. Schulte of the Mandan Creamery, that there will be a full representation of the association present at the meeting at that time. Considerable business will be discussed, and plans will be laid for work this fall and winter.

That the state dairy commissioner will be present at the meeting as well as his assistant, is Mr. Schulte's hope. They will each lecture on the buttermaking industry and will give interesting information on the latest improvements in buttermaking. It is expected that other important and distinguished speakers will be on the program, and a scoring contest will be held in conjunction with the event. Following the meeting all will attend the afternoon program of the fair.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Vallancey and Miss Peggy Vallancey of Fessenden, accompanied by Miss Nancy Vallancey of Fargo, and Mrs. C. L. Bowen of Dickinson, arrived in Mandan Monday, having motored across. They will remain in Mandan for a few days the guests of relatives and friends. Mrs. Bowen of Dickinson, a sister of Oscar Vallancey, returned to Dickinson the fore part of the week by train.

I. S. Elder of Huff was in Mandan on business the fore part of the week.

Charles Roth, pioneer farmer of the Huff locality, wa sin Mandan Monday, and while in the city said to reporter that threshing in his vicinity had begun and the crops are turning out much better than it was at first believed. However, the lack of rain is the cause of a much smaller crop in that vicinity than a year ago.

S. J. Dunlap passed through Mandan on Tuesday morning en route east from his home near Billings, Mont.

N. E. Harris returned home the fore part of the week from his farm near Fort Rice, where he had been for a few days looking after the harvesting of his crop.

W. C. Caddell of Fort Rice was numbered among the pioneer Morton countians who visited the county seat the fore part of the week.

W. L. Clark of Solen was in Mandan the fore part of the week on business.

Miss Wilifred Simpson is expected to return home this evening from Bismarck, where she has been assisting at the S. E. Bergeson store for the past two weeks, substituting for the regular bookkeeper, who has been away on a vacation for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lowery will return home today from LeSeuer, Minn., where they have been visiting with relatives and friends for some time.

John B. Steen and family of Fort Rice were in Mandan Tuesday shopping and attending to business matters. While in town Mr. Steen advised that he is going to sell his farm, if possible, and go to California to make his home. This is on account of the health of Mrs. Steen.

SCORES OF FRIENDS PAY LAST RESPECTS TO DEAD

Funeral of Late Samuel Unkenholz One of Largest in Mandan's History

One of the largest gatherings ever assembled at a funeral in this vicinity was the assemblage of friends who paid their last tribute to the late Samuel W. Unkenholz at the funeral services at Rural Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. F. F. Boothby, pastor of the church, preached the sermon, full of tribute to the memory of an earnest, faithful husband and father, and of consolation to the mourning sons and daughters, brother and sisters. Special music was rendered. The remains were carried to their last resting place in the little churchyard cemetery, where the wife was buried 15 months ago, by John and Charles Schaus, O. Griffin, Harry Center, John Dawson and John Anderson, all old timers in this vicinity and close friends of the deceased.

The late Mr. Unkenholz, wealthy farmer and extensive stockholder in the Farmers' elevator, the Farmers' Equity bank, and other well known concerns, left no will. His property was deeded to his surviving sons and daughters, and there will be little necessary legal procedure.

READY IN 30 DAYS.

The downtown portion of the capital street railway will be ready for use within 30 days, State Architect Crabbe announced this morning. The paving between the rails will be completed this week, and may be used by ordinary traffic within 10 days, but the concrete will not have set sufficiently to withstand the vibration caused by the big car until a month has elapsed.

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FOR RENT—New completely modern duplex. Lower floor. Phone 1691, or call 116 Avenue A West. 8 22 3t

LOST—Check issued to Jerome Conway. Finder kindly leave at Tribune and oblige. 8 22

FRASER'S FIGHT FOR SECOND WINS FINAL VICTORY

Adjutant General Procures Recognition for Regiment and Almost Every Officer

HANLEY CHANGES MIND ABOUT TAKING BERTH

A complete victory for Adjutant General Fraser in his fight to procure federal recognition for the commissioned officers of the Second and the acceptance of that regiment as a unit was signalized last evening in the receipt of a telegram from Brigadier General Mann, chief of militia bureau, advising the general that recommendation had been made to the adjutant general of the army that commissions be issued to the following officers of the Second North Dakota infantry as of date of Aug. 5, the day upon which the Second was mustered into federal service:

Captain Willard C. Lawson, First Lieut. William O'Leary and Second Lieut. Josiah C. Blaisdell, Co. A, Minot.

First Lieut. John S. Cameron, Co. B, New Rockford.

First Lieut. William A. Chalcroft, Co. C, Crosby.

First Lieut. J. Gordon Turner and Second Lieut. John Konen, Co. F, Carrington.

Capt. John W. Grant and First Lieut. Thomas Hesheth, Co. G, Rolla.

Capt. George Crawford, Co. H, Harvey.

Capt. Harry E. Thomas and First Lieut. George W. Sears, Co. K, Ellendale.

Capt. Charles I. Cook and First Lieut. Richard A. Sprague, Co. M.

These are officers whose recognition by the war department was withheld on recommendation of mustering officers on the grounds that technically they did not comply with the provisions of section 71 of the national defense act. All are men who will make splendid officers; a majority of them, after receiving their commissions from Governor Frazier, gave up their business, disposed of their property, and devoted all of their time to organizing their companies.

"To have rejected these men would have been manifestly unfair in view of all these circumstances," said General Fraser this morning, "and such an action on the part of the war department would have lost to the Second regiment officers who cannot easily be improved upon. I am decidedly pleased by this fair action upon the part of the war department, and glad to know that our campaign has won recognition for these men."

Still Five Vacancies.

Five vacancies for commissioned men in company ranks still exist in the Second. The berths to be filled are a second lieutenancy in the Crosby company, a captaincy at Carrington, a captaincy at Hankinson, the captaincy of the Dickinson machine gun company, for which some of the most prominent men in the state have been mentioned, and a second lieutenancy at Beach. Governor Frazier will have an opportunity to recommend men for these commissions, but the appointments will come from the president. Owing to delay in obtaining federal recognition, all commissions in the Second herein mentioned will bear the signature of Woodrow Wilson instead of that of Lynn J. Frazier. A majority of the officers are fortunate in possessing commissions from both dignitaries, removing all doubt as to their right to office.

Hanley Changes Mind.

Judge J. M. Hanley of Mandan, presiding jurist of the Twelfth judicial district, has changed his mind again as to a majority in the Second, and is ready to accept the commission formerly held by him, but resigned because of the illness of Mrs. Hanley.

Brigadier General Mann advised to this effect has informed Adjutant General Fraser that owing to his resignation Major Hanley cannot be accepted as an officer mustered in with the regiment Aug. 4, but that a recommendation will be made to the adjutant general of the army for his commission, if the vacancy still exists. The vacancy does exist, and Judge Hanley undoubtedly will be the third major of the Second.

Bitzing Into Service.

Major H. B. Bitzing of Mandan, former assistant attorney general, last evening received instructions from General Mann to report to Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., not later than Aug. 25, for duty as judge advocate. Major Bitzing leaves today for the southern post.

Applications Still Come.

Adjutant General Fraser still is receiving applications for commissions in the Second. As only five vacancies remain to be filled, and as the governor has only advisory powers in this connection, a large number of willing would-be officers are doomed to disappointment.

RUSSIA'S BIG PROBLEM IS TO OVERCOME PAST

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ozing people to spying, eavesdropping and mudslinging for pretexts to send men to jail or Siberia, there was efficiency to burn.

Czarism was a world-beater at all that. But in carrying on the huge daily business of reasonable government it was dull, slow, lumbering, thumb-handed and half-witted. Also most monstrously wasteful and extravagant.

In the army, men in responsible positions stole the money appropriated for rifles and sent troops up to the firing line armed with nothing but sticks.

They stole the money appropriated for artillery and left whole armies to be slaughtered by [illegible]s that had up-to-date equipment.

They grafted on every contract. They sole stores, supplies, boots and buttons. Their motto was, **Anything that isn't Spiked Down and then fetch the Crow-bar to pry the Rest Loose.**

They allowed traitors to bury in the earth the greatest guns that England sent to Russia's aid and German spies to overrun and poison every part of the service.

In the bureaus large forces of men did little work and botched that little.

System Broken Down.

Take, as one example of many triumphs of mismanagement, the matter of transportation.

About one-half of the maddening problems that the provisional government steadfastly faces come from a broken down transportation system.

Broken down by the sheer incompetence of the czar's government.

When democracy came in it found the Trans-Siberian the main artery of the Russian railroad system, doing only one-third of its normal work because of the thick-headed or dishonest work of the old regime.

Equipment had not been maintained. The road was there, but it was woefully shy of cars and locomotives, and the old methods of operation lost one-half of the value of what rolling stock there was.

One direct result of all this was that while other parts of Russia ran over with food supplies Petrograd and Moscow were short of food. Another was that munitions and supplies absolutely required for military operations were hung up at the ports or the factories because there were no cars to load them in and no locomotives to haul them.

Surely the curse of God is upon autocracy and all its works; Surely it is the blight and plague of mankind, for surely nothing else leaves in its track a train of evils so great and terrible.

The democratic government of Russia came in to find itself all but overwhelmed with a situation the like of which had never confronted any other government in the world.

Meets Problems Skillfully.

It had to fight a great and terrible war and at the same time it had to operate for the daily life of the nation a machine so rickety that it threatened every minute to fall in.

These appalling conditions it is meeting with courage and skill.

Slowly, steadily, it is getting the better of them.

And here I point out one of the most interesting phases of the Russian story. You see men that have had very little experience in public affairs or perhaps none at all. Of a sudden this almost inconceivable job is thrust upon them of changing over this enormous machine and they tackle it and get away with it, learning how as they go along:

Because they have the inspiration of an ideal, they have a vision, they see something to work for a million miles beyond and above the pay envelope or a place at a murderous monarch's table. They see the whole world lighted up for a new democracy. If they can make democracy go in Russia and they work without sleep and defy disease or weakness to make that vision real.

Every day things go better in Russia. There men are substituting order for slipshod and efficiency for a mad riot of blundering.

But they can't do it all at once. They can't wave a magic wand and exchange a punk old machine for a bright new one.

It is easy enough for people in other lands to ask why the Russians don't do this thing or don't do that.

Give them a chance and they will do whatever can be done by human agencies and do it well, because they are carried along to achievement by the greatest power in the world, which is the faith and feeling of democracy.

CITY NEWS

Here from Forks—John Brown of Grand Forks is a capital city visitor.

Bank Examiner Here—W. J. Hey of Fargo, bank examiner, is in the city on an official mission.

Beck in City—Senator John A. Beck of McClusky has spent the last several days in Bismarck.

From Michigan—Oliver Knudson, prominent Michigan man, is transacting business in Bismarck.

Staale Is in Town—Rep. Staale Hendrickson of Coteau is in the city en route home from a visit to St. Paul.

From Cooperstown—Oscar Huff of Cooperstown, ex-county treasurer of Griggs, was a visitor at the capitol this week.

Home to Hillsboro—Judge Carmody has returned to his home at Hillsboro after spending several days in Bismarck.

Paving Man Here—H. J. McNary of Chicago, representing the Larber Asphalt Co., is here looking over the paving.

Judge Fisk Here—Judge C. J. Fisk of Minot, of the law firm of Fisk, Linde & Murphy, is in the city on legal business.

Hikes to Ranch. The Second battalion is returning today from the Van Solen ranch on the Cannonball river, whither it marched Monday on the longest hike it has yet taken.

Some Wind—Bismarck today is enjoying a typical [illegible] mile North Dakota wind. The gale blew down a large tree in the Northern Pacific park this afternoon, and has considerably switched and frayed trees and shrubbery generally, but no large amount of damage, except to tempers, is reported. Old King Sol put in a good day's work yesterday and hoisted the mercury to within [illegible] degree of the century mark at Fort Yates. [illegible] In Bismarck, however, the heat was only [illegible].

The Disadvantages of Wealth.

Somebody figures that to count $1,000,000,000 would [illegible] 102 years of steady work [illegible] of eight hours a day every working day. You can see from this how embarrassed you would be if you had $1,000,000,000. You wouldn't even have time to count it.—Boston Globe.

BISMARCK Theatre

TO-NIGHT ONLY

Lenore Ulrich in "The Road to Love"

The remaining three days of this week performances will be given at both the Grand and Bismarck Theatres of the following special features:

Thursday, August 23
Charles Dickens Celebrated Novel
"GREAT EXPECTATIONS"
with Jack Pickford

Friday, August 24
"THE ETERNAL GRIND"
with Mary Pickford

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25
"MISS NOBODY," Starring Voilet Mersereau

o ming Next Week. Marguerite Clark in "Miss George Washington"

WARWICK BANKS JOIN IN STRONG CONSOLIDATION

Two Institutions Expect Greater Prosperity Under One Management From Now on

Warwick, N. D., Aug. 22.—The Warwick State bank and the Farmers & Merchants bank have consolidated, electing H. P. Beckwith of Fargo, president of the Northern Savings bank, president; I. C. Haugland, formerly one of the chief officials of the State bank, and C. O. Ness, postmaster and pioneer merchants, vice presidents, and I. A. Sayer, former president of the State bank, cashier.

NEW ULM OFFICIALS ARE SUSPENDED ON DISLOYALTY CHARGE

St. Paul, Aug. 22.—Acting on recommendations of the Minnesota Public Safety commission, Governor Burnquist today announced that executive orders suspending three public officials of New Ulm, a city in southern Minnesota, pending investigation of disloyalty charge against them, would be forwarded to Sheriff Julius of Brown county, for service.

Accused of malfeasance in office, because of having participated in a draft protest meeting at New Ulm, Mayor Fritsche, City Attorney Albert Pfaender, and County Auditor Louis Vogel, of Brown county, are suspended, the governor said. Definite dates for the hearing of the accused men have not been set. The Public Safety Commission today issued a long statement in which the workings of an un-American movement is exposed.

NORTH DAKOTA RAIL BOARD OPPOSES PLAN TO INCREASE MINIMUM

Commission Objects to Boost Because It Will Mean Higher Freight Rates

North Dakota does not altogether approve of the proposal that the minimum carloads for all commodities be increased as a means of relieving the strain on rolling stock. The state railway commission so advised last evening the interstate commerce commissioner at Chicago, before whom there is a hearing on this question in progress today.

The commission's objections are based on a number of facts. First, it is impossible to load many grades of agricultural machinery to a higher carload minimum capacity than that now established, and to raise the carload minimum on such shipments will mean merely that a higher freight rate is imposed on the shipper. Second, the commission holds, it discriminates against the small dealer, who may not need a carload at any one time, but who is compelled by the proposed ruling to order in large carload lots that he may obtain the benefit of the minimum rate. This, the commission holds, would tend to encourage the hoarding of merchandise and the tying up of money, neither of which is regarded an advisable practice. In the third place, the commission urges, agricultural machinery dealers in particular, because of the present scarcity of steel and other materials, find it impossible even now to buy in full carload lots, and if the minimum is increased this difficulty will be enhanced just so much.

The North Dakota rail board asks that these facts be taken into consideration and carefully weighed before a change is made in the present minimum.

Cadiz Older Than Rome.

Cadiz, Spain, w[illegible] about four centuries earlier than Rome and about [illegible]. It is quite generally [illegible]. The founders were Phoenician [illegible] 1100 B. C. Six [illegible] years [illegible] the city was [illegible] possession of the C[illegible] of the [illegible] world. At the end of [illegible] was the city became [illegible] advanced to great prosperity and civic dignity [illegible] at one time ranked second to Rome in influence.

HOOVER RULING WOULD SEIZE ALL WHEAT

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state rail and warehouse boards would be advisable.

Was Not Consulted.

The state railway commission, which in North Dakota has jurisdiction over all elevators, heard nothing of Hoover's proposed "today" clause for storage tickets until letters began pouring in from elevator companies and protests from grain growers. The elevator companies found the clause clearly in conflict with the provisions of the North Dakota laws governing their business, and they requested a ruling from the commission. In response to all queries the commission has advised that no change be made in the legalized form of storage tickets now in use in this state until further advice is obtained from Hoover.

The Hoover circular is addressed to terminal elevators, but has been sent out broadcast, and the wording would make it apply to all elevators.

Germany Conducts Vigorous Campaign in Mexican Press

Mexico City, Aug. 22.—Friends of Germany are conducting in Mexican newspapers a propaganda against the United States, but up to the present time, the efforts have failed in their purpose, in so far as the better educated influential classes are concerned.

There is reason to believe that it has had no effect on men prominent in public life, those associated with the government, or high officers in the army, but it seems certain that the German campaign has exerted certain influence on the uneducated Mexicans.

The lines followed has had for its end the convincing of the more ignorant classes that the friendly advances of the United States are not to be trusted, and that that country is spread back in the aim of overthrowing the sovereignty of Mexico and using for its own either by economical means or by force, the territory between the Rio Grande and Panama.

JAMESTOWN PROTESTS.

Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 22.—Citizens of Jamestown and vicinity, at a special mass meeting conducted in the Commercial club rooms yesterday, protested against the plan of fixing the price of wheat at $1.67 per bushel. S[illegible] telegram of protest was prepared, endorsed by all present, and forwarded to Washington with all haste.

"By fixing the price of wheat at $1.65 per bushel it means practically $1 durum wheat," said Banker Wesley McDowell, of Marion, N. D., in discussing the issue. "To fix the price at $1.65 per bushel would mean a big loss and injustice to North Dakota farmers."

Oscar J. Seiler, secretary of the North Dakota efficiency commission, stated that Stutsman county has not produced half a crop this year, and that the state yield will not average more than seven bushels to the acre. "Rather than sell his wheat at $1.65 per bushel the farmer can well afford to feed it to his hogs, which are now bringing unprecedented prices," said Mr. Seiler.

Helping Him Out.

"Could you lend me five dollars?" "No, I'm going to be married; but I'll see to it that you don't get an invitation—so you'll save at least ten dollars by that."—Life.

Tribune want ads will bring results

SPLENDID RACE HORSE CRIPPLED IN SMASHUP

Major Ong May Do No More Racing This Year as Result of Collision in Iowa

Major Ong, State Examiner J. R. Waters' famous harness horse who has been cleaning up on the dirt tracks of the Iowa circuit, was seriously injured in a collision with Shipmaster, a competitor for the pole on the home stretch at Sheldon, Ia., last week, and as a result he probably will do no more racing for weeks to come. In the melee the horse and his driver were thrown, and one of Shipmasters' boots almost severed a tendon in Major Ong's leg. The splendid horse has been shipped to Hamline and placed under the care of an expert surgeon, and his owner trusts that he will be saved to win more races. It will be remembered that Major Ong cleaned up on all comers at the Interstate fair in Fargo last month.

The Australian "Bush."

What is known as the Australian "bush" is the country beyond the communities. The life followed in these regions is similar to ranch life in New Mexico.

Sugar Flour Coffee Tea

These are necessaries.

The U. S. Congress will impose an Internal Revenue tax, a war tax, in a few days unless present prospects fail.

One half a cent on sugar. Three cents on coffee. 5c on tea.

Sugar will advance 50c per hundred on account of the war tax.

It may advance still more on account of scarcity.

One big refinery has withdrawn from the market until Oct. 1st.

Why? We do not know but have our opinion. It is not speculation either but real scarcity on the world's market.

Tea and Coffee will advance accordingly.

Flour has declined $1 the past ten days. It may advance. It may not.

Here are our cash prices on these articles until Sept. 1st.

Sugar, per sack, 100 lbs. ... $9.90

Tea and coffee same price as for months past.

Flour, per sack, 98 lbs. $6.65

These prices are cash and flour is subject to market changes, which may be lower.

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WEATHER REPORT

for 24 hours ending at noon Aug.	22.
Temperature at 7 a. m.	70
Temperature at noon	70
Highest yesterday	95
Lowest yesterday	65
Lowest last night	66
Precipitation	None
Highest wind velocity	32-NW

Forecast

for North Dakota: Generally fair and much cooler tonight; Thursday fair with rising temperature in the extreme west portion.

	Lowest Temperatures
Fargo	62
Williston	58
Grand Forks	60
Pierre	68
St. Paul	62
Winnipeg	58
Helena	48
Chicago	70
Swift Current	54
Kansas City	68
San Francisco	52

ORRIS W. ROBERTS,
Meteorologist

ONLY ONE VERDICT.

Let us review the testimony of German autocracy, as secured up to date and corroborated by Germany's acts and the most recent testimony by German autocrats.

Why, by whom and how was the world's war begun? If these questions are answered by the German autocracy, history will have no need of discussing them and civilization will have no trouble in fixing the right or wrong of the awful catastrophe. For three years, the people—neutrals, pro-Germans and anti-Germans—have been discussing these questions with the aid, very largely, of purely circumstantial evidence, and it is only human that the decisions arrived at have been, in high degree, based upon prejudice, or other unreliable and unfair sentiment. It is well that we can now sum up the direct testimony given by German autocrats. It is as follows:

For 40 years or more Germany has been arming and organizing for war and her main policy, in her industries, schools and other institutions, has been militaristic. This is admitted by Germans and proved by undisputed facts.

In 1905 in a public speech at Saalsburg the ruler of Germany declared for a world-wide German empire to rival the old empire of Rome. The declaration was published in German newspapers.

On Aug. 4, 1914, the chancellor of Germany said to the reichstag:

"Necessity knows no law. Our troops are already on Belgian soil. That is contrary to the dictates of international law . . . A French movement upon our flank upon the lower Rhine might have been dangerous. So we were compelled to override the just protests of the Luxemburg and Belgian governments. The wrong I speak openly—that we are committing we will endeavor to make good as soon as our military goal has been reached."

On Aug. 10, 1914, the emperor of Germany wrote President Wilson that the neutrality of Belgium "had to be violated on strategic grounds."

At the height of the submarine controversy autocrat Von Tirpitz declared, in the Frankfurter Zeitung, one of the influential newspapers of Germany, that ruthless submarine warfare would speedily bring England to surrender, and that the German fleet, with the surrendered British fleet, would then exact from America indemnities enough to pay the whole cost of the war.

Such is the testimony of Germany's autocrats as to why, how and by whom this slaughter was begun.

You're the jury. What's your verdict? Are you for the kaiser's vision of a world wide German empire, built on violated treaties and butchery of innocents, you to pay the cost?

China's in. We don't know whether she can swim or not, but she'll find that the water's warm.

London police has 7,000 Boy Scout orderlies. It takes a boy to see things, even though he can't do the clubbing.

Said Col. Roosevelt to Maj. Gen. Taft, "Oh, well, maybe Teddy didn't say anything when Cousin Bill got that title!"

A drafted young Californian read "agate" type until his eyes were so bad that the examining surgeons rejected him. Also had those "religious scruples." Today his eyes and his scruples are working all right.

United States distillers have whiskey enough to supply the demand for three years. They also have a most lovely war reason for raising prices.

Sending the ex-czar to Siberia would furnish the kaiser another good excuse to continue fighting like a fiend for his autocracy.

Exemption boards are discovering that, as a rule, the "conscientious objector" is two-thirds coward, with his other third a composite of sneak and hypocrite.

Confine peace talk to the demand of civilization that German autocracy be shorn of power to break treaties and violate international rights and such talk may get somewhere.

What will be danced next winter? is a question sent out by our New York folks. It's easy. Son and daughter will one-step and father will do the two-step war tax rustle.

Way to Conserve Food.

Many persons eat too much, say the diet specialists—here's a way to conserve our food supply and health at the same time—stuffing oneself at the table should be a dying tradition. —Exchange.

OPENING OF CITY SCHOOLS.

The Bismarck city schools will open September 4th, 1917. At this time we wish to have every pupil of school age in his place and ready for work. Years of experience have shown that the best results are obtained when pupils enter at the opening day and are regular and punctual in attendance until the closing day. Those who were promoted June 8th should present promotion cards for admission. Those who were promoted at the close of the summer school for failures July 20th, may present the cards received at that time, except those who are candidates for the high school. Those summer school pupils who wish to enter high school must do so with a written statement to Principal Bolt from Superintendent Martin. One condition only, is permitted. Those not in possession of valid credentials are to enter the same grade as last year, and can only be promoted by passing an examination given under the direction of the city superintendent. This regulation is necessary to maintain a high standard, and will be strictly adhered to. Teachers are instructed to enforce this ruling rigidly. Save disappointment by not asking for special favors. Those entering from the outside must present credentials from last school or submit to an examination. Successful vaccination will be enforced and parents are urged to see to this matter prior to the opening of school. The superintendent's office phone is number 285 and home phone 835. Call him at any time.

J. M. MARTIN,
8-21-8-25-2t City Superintendent.

The following notice has been received from the state department of public health and parents are urged to comply therewith before the opening of school, if possible, to avoid possible absence of pupils during the school term.

J. M. MARTIN,
City Supt.

August 17, 1917.

Supt. of City Schools,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

My Dear Sir:

I desire to call your attention to Section 425 of the compiled laws of 1913, which reads as follows: "Each parent or guardian having the care, custody or control of any minor or other person shall cause such minor or other person to be vaccinated." The state board of health, under recent ruling, fixes the time by stipulating that all children shall be vaccinated before being admitted to school.

I would ask you, therefore, to kindly enforce this mandate in the territory over which you have jurisdiction by notifying the different school boards and teachers, requesting them to inform the patrons of their schools to have all children vaccinated who do not present evidence of recent vaccination, before entering the fall term of school. The teachers should be further instructed and ordered to exclude any pupil who has not complied with the vaccination law.

Any violation by school directors or teachers in allowing or permitting children to enter school without complying with this requirement will be subject to prosecution.

Trusting the state board of health may have your immediate co-operation in this matter I am,

Yours very truly,
C. J. McGURREN,
Secretary and Executive Officer.
8-21-2t

CONFIRMED PROOF

Residents of Bismarck Cannot Doubt What Has Been Twice Proved.

In gratitude for relief from aches and pains of bad backs, from distressing kidney ills, thousands have publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of Bismarck, who so testified years ago, now say the results were permanent. This testimony doubly proves the worth of Doan's Kidney Pills to Bismarck kidney sufferers.

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"CONTRABAND"

A Romance of the North Atlantic by RANDALL PARRISH

Author of "My Lady of the North," and "of the Forest," etc. (Copyright A. C. McClurg & Co.

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Robert Hollis, one time sea captain, who tells the story, is a guest on Gerald Carrington's yacht, Esmeralda. It is supposed to be a "stag" party and Hollis is surprised on discovering a woman, who evidently wishes to remain unknown, aboard.

CHAPTER II—Hollis, the next night, succeeds in having an interview with the woman. She [...] tells him her name is Vera.

CHAPTER III—Carrington [...] his guests of the coming war, and that he is engineering a copper pool.

CHAPTER IV—The yacht is sunk in a collision and Hollis saves McCann, millionaire, and one of the party.

CHAPTER V—Hollis and McCann rescue Vera and leave the ship in a small boat.

CHAPTER VI—Hollis and Vera become friendly, though he is unaware of her identity.

CHAPTER VII—McCann refuses to submit to Hollis' authority, and the [...]r enforces it.

CHAPTER VIII—The castaways are [...]ed by a ship, the Indian Chief, which takes them aboard.

CHAPTER IX—The Indian Chief has recently been struck by lightning and is almost a wreck. All the officers are dead. Hollis meets the owner, who tells him the vessel has a cargo of ammunition, consigned to the German government.

CHAPTER X.

We Accept Adventure.

As I emerged from behind the butt of the mizzenmast, the only person visible was a long-legged cabin boy industriously rubbing away at a grease spot on the deck. He was not aware of my presence until I spoke, when he gazed up at me across his shoulder, with seeming little intelligence in his dull eyes.

"Do you know which of these staterooms the lady was given?"

"Oh, yes, sir; over there; I just took her in a needle an' some thread."

"All right—what is your name?"

"Joe—Joe Moon, sir."

I crossed over and rapped at the stateroom door, which had a figure "5" stenciled on the upper panel.

"Who is there?" she asked.

"This is Hollis; could you spare me a few moments?"

"Certainly; I will come out directly," she laughed, "I have been doing some emergency mending."

I picked out a chair and sat down. A moment later the door of No. 5 opened, and the girl greeted me pleasantly, crossing the cabin swiftly, and extending her hand, as I arose to my feet.

"I feel actually born anew, Mr. Hollis," she exclaimed. "I am almost afraid I was losing my nerve in that little boat. Where is this steamer bound?"

"That is what I called upon you to discuss. Sit down here, and I will give you the whole story. The captain and both mates are dead; the fellow on deck in charge when we came on board was the chief engineer. The owner of boat and cargo, however, is here; I have just been talking with him in the cabin yonder. He is in poor health and crippled in one limb."

"What is his name?"

"Foolishly I forgot to ask, and Masters—that is the name of the engineer—neglected to mention it when he introduced us. However, that makes no difference in the facts. I'll tell you the story, as briefly as I can."

She listened intently, leaning forward in her chair, her ringless hands clasped, her eyes on my face. The simple story seemed to thrill her, breathing as it did the mystery and romance of the sea.

"And that, Miss Vera," I said at last, "is the present situation. It is for you to furnish the final solution."

"For me! You tell me all this merely to leave the decision with me?"

"Yes; I shall do nothing against your expressed wish."

"Why—but what would you do, if you were here alone?"

"That would be entirely different. I have no family, no near relatives living; not even any special friends to mourn greatly over my demise. I might willingly risk my life in such an adventure, and think little of it. I know the sea and its perils, and such a game as this is likely to have its attractions."

"You—you consider the attempt very dangerous?"

"Of capture, and possible imprisonment—yes. Probably our lives will not be in any special peril. We have no arms with which to resist. If once overhauled, a prize crew would be put on board, and we would be taken to the nearest British or French port, as prisoners of war. Our cargo, destined for the German government, would be amply sufficient to condemn us. Under the circumstances, our own country would make no effort to protect us. I should not mind, but I cannot expose you to hardship and possible imprisonment."

Her eyes were shining, and her hand reached forth, unconsciously, and rested on mine.

"How long would it require?"

"Weeks, probably; I should choose the more northern route, around Scotland, and then skirt the Norway coast through the North sea."

"To place me on some other vessel at sea would spoil your plan, Mr. Hollis?"

Her Eyes Were Shining, and Her Hand Reached Forth, Unconsciously, and Rested in Mine.

"It would render our chances of success [...]. The only possibility would [...] meeting of some American [...]ward bound, whose captain would [...] promise to make no report. Such a one might be hard to find, especially if he suspected we were endeavoring to carry munitions of war to Germany."

"Do you believe the Germans are right in this war—that you ought to aid them?"

"I cannot answer that," I answered honestly enough, "for I do not fully understand the conditions. To be perfectly frank, however, my sympathies are with England and France. In this case I am not considering either side, but the poor devil who owns this ship and cargo. What we carry on board here will not be a drop in the bucket, but its loss will spell ruin to him, and that is the thought which influences me."

"And I could not even dispatch a message—wireless?"

"The Indian Chief has no equipment. No, Miss Vera, we shall be absolutely lost to the world until we are either captured, or safe in some German port. I would not deceive you—the project is both a desperate and a dangerous one."

The girl remained silent, her eyes lowered to the deck. I had said all possible, determined as I was not to influence her decision. As she did not speak, or change her attitude, I arose and walked across the cabin to where I could look out forward.

"Mr. Hollis."

"Yes." I turned.

"I must decide this? You mean to leave it all to me?"

"There is no other way."

"But I do not know what to say. I thought at first I could answer yes, gladly. I am not afraid, not the least bit afraid; and if I could only get some word back to my people in New York that I am safe, I would almost welcome the adventure. I am only a girl, you know, and I—I like such things. But they will worry horribly, for they have no knowledge of where I am. No one knows. I—I have simply disappeared, and papa will have detectives hunting for me, and will have to tell mother. They will imagine all sorts of horrid things. And you say it may be weeks, or even months, before I could get a message to America?"

"I am afraid so, Miss Vera; I wished you to understand the exact truth."

"Oh! I do not think that would be right—do you?"

"I thought you might feel that way, and so made no pledge before telling you the story. Of course, I knew nothing of how you were situated; or under what circumstances you had left home."

"I stole away unknown to anyone; it was just a lark, a foolish joke. No one knows where I am. If I could only send them word!"

I touched the bent head gently with my hand.

"Do not worry," I said kindly. "We will give the scheme up entirely, and head toward the nearest American port. Perhaps luck may favor us, and if we meet an American ship, we can tranship you, and then take a chance, knowing that you are safely homeward bound."

"But I understood you to say that that would only increase your peril."

"It might, and it might not. At least I will not consent to have you implicated in the affair any further than you are now. I will not sacrifice you to help our friend yonder save his fortune. I'll give him my answer now."

I took a step aft, but paused suddenly, for the door of the owner's cabin opened, and he came limping forth, resting heavily on a cane, his white face clearly revealed in the glare of the skylight. I stepped back beside the girl, who, aroused by my sudden movement, glanced up and saw him. Almost instantly she was upon her feet, hesitated an instant as though perplexed at the man's appearance; then advanced and met him.

"Mr. Bascom," she exclaimed, "can this indeed be you?"

"You speak my name, certainly," he replied, but gazing into her face seemingly without recognition. "Yet I do not recall—"

"Oh, yes, you do; surely you must," she interrupted. "Why, you have changed more than I. Do you not remember the moonlight nights at Palm Beach? The fishing parties along the coast?"

"Vera!" he cried, a note of delight in his voice. "Of course I remember; but you have become a woman, the very last person in the world I expected to see. And so you are the lady we were fortunate enough to rescue. Mr. Hollis never even mentioned your name."

"There was no reason why I should," I said, "having no thought of your previous acquaintance. The young lady and I have just been discussing the situation—"

"Wait just a moment, Mr. Hollis," she interrupted, her eyes still on Bascom's face. "This discovery changes everything. Mr. Bascom is an old friend."

"So I judge; but I do not intend to let that influence your decision."

"But it will, and does!" a certain impetuous appeal in her voice. "I did not understand before, as I do now. You are the owner, Mr. Bascom? This is your boat and cargo?"

"Yes, Vera; things have not gone well with me of late, and my entire fortune is here," he answered rather bitterly.

"I am sorry; I had not heard. You have been terribly ill, from your looks, and are lame. It—it was that affair in New York, from which you never recovered?"

"I was in the hospital for months, and scarcely hoped to live. That was when my business went to smash."

"Father never told me; and your mother?"

"Is living in Philadelphia, but in rather straitened circumstances, and ill; my younger brother has been compelled to leave school and seek employment." He smiled weakly. "I had hoped this voyage would set us all on our feet again."

She released her hand from his grasp, and sank down once more into the chair, her glance leaving his face, and seeking mine.

"Mr. Hollis," she said, almost defiantly. "It is my wish that the Indian Chief continue its voyage."

"But I cannot consent—"

"You left this decision to me. Well, I make that decision. My comfort, even the momentary fear which my family may feel over my strange disappearance, could never justify my refusal. I know this gentleman, and have met his mother; we were good friends. He shall not be ruined through my whim of a girl. I urge you to go ahead, not considering me in the least."

"I cannot quite understand so sudden a change."

"Perhaps you do not understand women," she said, and smiled. "Surely you recall who Mr. Bascom is?"

"Not in the remotest degree."

"But we spoke of him in the boat—Philip Bascom."

My eyes widened, and I caught my breath.

"Good heavens! yes; now I recall the affair. He is the man Fergus McCann shot in the hotel restaurant. That was the accident he speaks of. Why, this is strange enough to be fiction."

Bascom stood, leaning on his cane, looking at us, as though failing to comprehend what it was we were talking about. Possibly he did not catch our words clearly, for his white face appeared puzzled.

"You speak of me?" he asked, "of my difficulty with McCann?"

She looked up at him earnestly.

"Yes; it is very strange. You should know the truth. There were three of us who escaped together when the yacht sank; Mr. Hollis, myself and—Fergus McCann."

Bascom straightened, his lips pressed tight.

"He is here now; a guest on board my ship?"

"Yes; I do not know where—sleeping in one of the staterooms, probably. I have not seen him since I came over the side."

Bascom's expression was one of struggle, as he stared into our faces. It was difficult for him to find words; to even control his mind.

"This—this is a misfortune," he said finally. "I do not know how it will end. I have sought to avoid the man. Miss Vera, do you know the truth of that affair? not the newspaper story, but the facts?"

She shook her head.

"I only heard that the trouble occurred over Myra Bradley. McCann found you together, and shot you in a fit of jealous rage."

"So far the story was true; but I was not at the restaurant with Miss Bradley. I had never, but once before, even spoken to her. She called me to her table that evening, where she was dining alone, to question me regarding some mutual friends in Philadelphia. Our brief conversation was most commonplace. McCann shot me without warning; I did not even know he was near until the woman screamed."

"But," I said, as he paused, "was there no trial? That was not the newspaper story."

"I know it," bitterly, "and I have only my word to give you. I could not defend myself, and no one else made any effort to do so. McCann had money and influence; I was lying unconscious in a hospital. The girl was shipped off to Europe; a waiter swore that I drew a revolver, which he afterwards picked up on the floor; the police exonerated McCann on the ground of self-defense, and the case never came to trial."

I held out my hand.

"Having had some experience lately with McCann," I said heartily, "I am perfectly ready to accept your version. His being on board is awkward and unpleasant, but we must put up with it as best we can. Is this your thought, Mr. Bascom?"

He did not answer at once; not until she looked up questioningly.

"There is nothing else possible," he said at last, but as though the admission hurt. "My nature is not revengeful, although I certainly have no feeling of kindness toward this man. However, this is my ship, and he is my guest; as long as he remains on board, I shall treat him as I would any other under like circumstances."

"I knew you would say that," the girl exclaimed. "Now everything is all right, Mr. Hollis?"

"As nearly so as we can make it," I answered, assuming an ease I was far from feeling. "Your decision is that we continue the voyage—to Germany?"

"To wherever Mr. Bascom desires to go."

"Very well. And you appoint me captain, delegating to me full authority?"

"I do, with pleasure."

I held out my hand, surprised to note the strong grip of the slender, white fingers responding to my clasp.

"The matter is settled then, let the result prove what it may. It is already growing dusk; I will go on deck and assume command."

(To be continued.)

The Great American Home!

FREE MANUALS FOR CANNING FOR BISMARCK HOUSEWIVES

Mayor A. W. Lucas is in receipt of a communication from the national emergency food and garden commission of Washington, D. C., congratulating him and the residents of Bismarck on the ready response to the conservation and war garden campaign. The communication further reads:

"The importance of the food conservation efforts by all the people steadily grows and we now write to ask that you give your further co-operation by informing the people of your city through your newspaper, that the commission will gladly send free of charge to any citizen, a manual on home canning and a manual on home drying of vegetables and fruits on receipt of a two cent stamp for each."

GREAT EXPECTATIONS.

Charles Dickens would have been astounded, could he have returned to earth and visited the Famous Players studio not so long ago, for there he would have found some of the characters which his great pen had pictured, not longer confined to the pages of his novel "Great Expectations," but actually walking about in real life. Though the great novelist would have seen only Estella, Pip and Provis, we see in these characters the familiar features of Louise Huff, Jack Pickford and Frank Losee, who are playing those respective roles in the Famous Players adaptation of the story which is the Paramount attraction a tthe Bismarck and Grand Theatres tomorrow. 8 22

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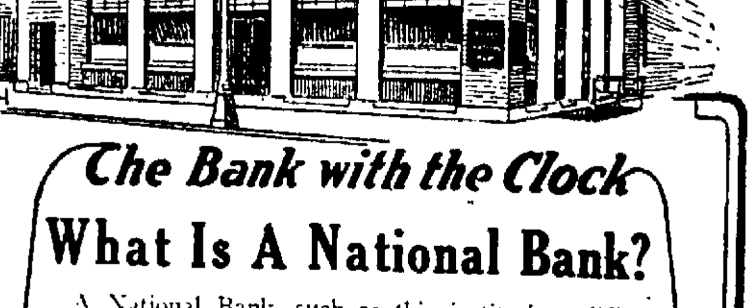

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The First National Bank

BISMARCK, N.D.

SOCIETY

Splendid Response by Bismarck Women for Red Cross Workers

A splendid response by Bismarck women came yesterday at the opening of the new Red Cross headquarters on the second floor of the postoffice building Over half a hundred women found their way to the room and assisted in the great work which has been outlined by the national society

The campaign for knitters is now on and every woman, old and young, is asked to volunteer their services Competent instructors have been secured and the art of knitting will be taught at the Red Cross rooms Conspicuous among the volunteers Tuesday were the older women of the city who thoroughly understand how to knit the most difficult articles The needles flew fast as they talked and kittted, in good old fashioned style. And they were so enthusiastic and anxious to teach others

The work on bathrobes, bed shirts, pajamas and other articles will go on as before A number of sewing machines have been installed and the cutting tables and other facilities have been procured to get the best results The new headquarters are splendidly located Large windows afford good light and ventilation and the room is large, giving ample space for the carrying on of the work

Although the response was most satisfactory on the opening day, as many more workers are needed "One hundred workers a day" is the slogan of the capital city society. Can it be realized?

Second Infantry Band to Give Dance Here Saturday Eve

It has been left to members of the Second Infantry band to introduce in the capital city the novel street dance This splendid organization of patriotic musicians will stage the affair in Broadway between the intersections of Third and Second streets, Saturday evening

The broad thoroughfare, only recently paved, will make an ideal pavilion for dancing The band will play in front of the office of Capt Henry T Murphy in the Haggart building

This novel way of raising money for their mess fund was hit upon after the dancing party last Saturday night in the Armory, when many were turned away on account of the large crowd. The boys figure that by holding it on the street everyone will get a chance to participate

Capital city folk will no doubt respond by packing the open air pavilion to the limit The Second Infantry band has won its way into the hearts of all the people by their readiness to play on all occasions.

Brilliant Dancing Party At Club House This Eve

One of the most brilliant society affairs of the season will be the dancing party this evening at the Bismarck Country club given by Captain and Mrs Henry T Murphy and Mr and Mr. R C Lattey A reception will be held from 8 o'clock to 10 and will be followed by dancing Eleven pieces of the Second Infantry band will furnish the music Several hundred invitations were issued The affair is in the nature of afar ewell as Mr and Mrs Lattey leave shortly for Billings to make their home and Capt Murphy will soon leave with his company

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Royal Neighbors Meeting.

The Royal Neighbors lodge will hold a special meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Knights of Pythias hall

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To Conclude Visit Here.

Miss Louise Jennings, who has been the guest of Mr and Mrs Fred L Conklin of Fourth street, for some time, will leave Thursday for her home in Hot Springs, S D

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Flasher Guest Here.

Mrs H E Winchester of Flasher, is spending some time in the city as the guest of Dr Winchester's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs N O Ramstad of Fourth street

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Returns From Montana.

Mrs Hanlon of this place has returned from a visit with her sons and daughter in Havre, Mont She was accompanied by her son Richard, who is ill and since returning has entered the St Alexious hospital

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Concludes Visit Here.

Mrs Southy and daughter, Miss Bernice of Garrison, who have been the guests of Mrs W L Nuessle of Second street, left today for Mandan to visit friends before returning to their home

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Church Club to Meet.

The Opportunity club of the First Baptist church will meet Friday evening with the president, Mrs Paul A Wessell of the Person court The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock and all members are asked to attend

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Mrs. Bachman Returns.

Mrs Bachman wife of Harold B Bachman, director of the Second Infantry band, has returned from a short visit with her sister, Mrs W A Squire of Harvey Mr and Mrs Bachman are guests at the Van Horn while here

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Rev. Watson Returns.

Rev Jonathan Watson of St John's Episcopal church, Grand Forks, who has been the guest of Rev George Buzzelle of St George's church, for the last few days, returned to his home today Rev Mr Watson is one of the best known Episcopal rectors in the northwest.

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For Missouri Guest.

Mrs W C Cashman entertained Tuesday afternoon a party of friends at her home in Ninth street, in honor of her aunt, Mrs Florence Scott of St Joseph, Missouri Fancy work was the diversion and a luncheon of 15 covers was served Mrs Scott came to the city to see Paul Cashman, member of the hospital corps of the First regiment, who expects to leave shortly for a training camp Mrs Scott will leave this evening for her home

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For Bismarck Guest.

Among the many entertainments given for Mrs J G Moore of Fifth street, during her visit with Judge and Mrs E B Goss, Minot, was a party given by Mrs J G Webster Saturday afternoon The guests included intimate friends of the hostess and honor guest Mrs Moore and daughters, Helen and Marjorie returned today accompanied by Miss Marion Goss, who will make an extended visit here

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Realizes Large Sum.

More than $50 was realized last evening at the lawn festival held on the lawn of the governor's mansion by women of the first division of the Ladies' Aid society of the McCabe church The splendid musical program given by the Second Infantry band attracted a large crowd Governor and Mrs Lynn J Frazier proved themselves genial hosts to the large gathering Members of the division give the credit for the success of the festival to the boys of the band who were so liberal in their playing Director Bachman is winning many friends here by his willingness to play for the people of the capital city

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PERSONAL

Mrs A P Lenhart, daughter, Hazel, and son, William, Miss Sara Andrews and Miss Esther Semling, who have been sojourning at the lakes in Glenwood, Minn., have returned to their homes on Avenue B

Miss Sands, superintendent of the nurses at the Bismarck hospital, who have been spending her vacation with friends in Grand Forks, will return this week Miss Anna Knudtson of Almont has been filling her place.

Mrs H T Perry of Litchville, who is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Duncan J McGillis, of the Van Horn, and who has been quite ill for the past few days, is somewhat improved

Miss Gertrude Freise has resigned her position in the office of the Bismarck hospital and has gone to her home in New Salem Miss Pearl Causmaker of Lidgerwood is her successor

Mrs August Johnson and daughter and Mrs Karl Klein of Washburn were visitors in the city Tuesday, and while here were guests at the Grand Pacific

Miss Alvina Wenzel of Chaska, Minn, has arrived in the city and is the guest of Miss Minnie Teske of Fourteenth street

Mr and Mrs Emil Teske, a recent bride and groom, who have been spending their honeymoon in the twin cities and Chaska, Minn., have returned and will make their home in this city For the present they are guests of Mr Teske's uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs E O Teske of Fourteenth street.

Mrs William Wasley and two children of Fourth street have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Ortonville and Faribault, Minn They also visited in the twin cities

Miss Alice Gilbertson of this place, has returned from her vacation trip which she spent in Shoreham, Minn, and at her home in Williston

Mr and Mrs E A Thorberg of Seventh street, have returned from Faulkton, S D, where Mrs Thorberg has been visiting her mother for some time Mr Thorberg made only a short visit making the trip by motor

Mrs C Hendershott of Avenue B, has gone to Braddock, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs Baxter.

Mrs Marie McInnis of Jamestown, who spent a short time in the capital city with friends enroute from Minot, has returned to her home She made the trip by motor

Jack Porter and Dell Scothern of this place, members of the quartermaster department of the Second North Dakota regiment, were guests the first of the week at the home of T J Atwood of Jamestown Mr Porter has gone to Duluth to spend a week with friends

Mrs J G McIntock of Rugby accompanied her father, Judge John Carmody, of Hillsboro, deputy United States district attorney, on a professional visit to the capital

J. J Miller of Elgin state warehouse inspector, has been at the capitol on a business mission

John Knauff of Jamestown was at the capitol the end of the week on legal matters

Mrs G W Ganson and Mrs L W Rumeley have returned to their home at Ashley after shopping and visiting friends in Bismarck

Mr and Mrs F P C Tenny of Valley City were week-end capital city visitors

H G Davis of St Paul representing the Ford Paving company arrived in the city the end of last week

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN.

Nebraska will vote on woman suffrage at the next election

Girl bootblacks are numerous in Boston

Mrs Samuel Hight, former prominent club woman of Minnesota, is the first woman to hold a seat in the provincial legislature of Saskatchewan

Mrs T T Gammage of Palestine, Texas, spun, wove and knit for the soldiers during the civil war and is now "doing her bit" for the soldiers of today

One hundred of the women and girls employed in a large Philadelphia knitting mill are devoting their noon hour to packing "fracture pillows" with waste thread and materials contributed by the mill The pillows will be donated to the Red Cross

Women employed in the shops of the New York Central railroad at Albany have adopted a standard costume consisting of a combination skirt and bloomers that button tight about the leg from ankle to knee

Thousands of southern women who before the war displayed little interest in practical household and farm work, other than to direct their servants, have become practical and successful farmers as a result of work by agents of the Home Economics bureau of the State Relations service of the national department of agriculture.

JOHN BOEHM DIES IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

John Boehm, aged 48, of Twelfth street, died Tuesday evening in one of the local hospitals He had been a resident of the capital city for the last fifteen years and for some years past had been employed at the O H Will Seed store The widow and six children survive Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in St Mary's pro-cathedral Interment will be made in St Mary's cemetery

IN LOCAL HOSPITAL SUFFERING FROM BURNS.

Miss Hallie Scroggins of Avenue C, is in the Bismarck hospital suffering from burns on the limbs and hands as a result of a gasoline explosion Miss Scroggins with a party of friends had motored to Braddock Sunday and the accident happened when a match was struck while gasoline was being poured into the tank She was brought to her home Monday and last Tuesday was removed to the hospital

NEW SKIRT-LIKE PANTS

New York—If women must wear pants they can at least make those pants share some of the beautiful lines of skirts, is the idea of Miss Fannie Harley, well known magazine writer and traveler who has given the last three years to work for dress reform All the costumes she has designed are bifurcated The street costume she wear here is of white yachting serge with serge piping and facings, and girdle of cerise taffeta The cuffs are trimmed with tiny cerise buttons Marabou trims the neck and skirt of the upper garment This white hat has chiffon sashes and ostrich plume, and the French parasol is of cerise

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS. By Allman

THEY ALL LOOK LIKE GIRLS ON THE BEACH

THESE SPECIAL PRICES

Are for Final "Clean up" of a few Summer Left Overs

The startling reductions will make it practicable for you to purchase despite of the lateness of the season. Many of the items are odds and ends in seasonable necessities.

Wash Dress Prices That Mean Immediate Clearance

Two large assortments in the latest styles and materials, man tailored dressses in values up to $5.00, Thursday's sale only $1.50

In values up to $7.50 Thursday's sale only $2.50

Wash Goods---Last Call

65c and 75c Wash Fabrics, Voiles, Lawns, Marquisetts, etc., sport stripes, plaids and figured patterns, 38 and 40 inch widths, to close at, yard 43c

50c Figured Voiles and Printed Lawns, etc. A full assortment in patterns in the summer's best designs to choose from, per yard 32c

35c Voiles, Madras Cloths, Warm Flaxons, Tissue Ginghams, etc. per yard 23c

A Special Offer in Women's Hosiery

Black Maco, yarn dyed Hose, fast color, linen heel and toe, high spliced back. The kind you used to pay 25 cents for. Thursday's sale a pair 19c

PARASOLS

Only a few left to pick from but good qualities valued to $5.00. For immediate disposal we will close them out at **Half Price**

LADIES' COLLARS

A few Ladies' Collars to be be disposed of cheap. They are in Lawns, Voils, Chepe de Chines, Georgettes, etc., etc.

All 25c and 35c values to close at - 19c
All 50c and 65c values to close at - 29c
All 75c and 85c values to close at - 49c
All $1.00 and $2.25 values to close at 89c

"Kaynie" Boys' Play Suits in values up to $2.00 THURSDAY'S SALE 75c

Another popular Thursday House Dress Sale, value to $2.00, Thursday - 98c

A "clean up" on a few "Odds and Ends" divided into two lots, each containing values to $1.50

Lot 1, 98c Lot 2, 75c

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DREW'S DAUGHTER WEDS FILM STAR

MRS JACK DEVEREAUX

The spoken and silent drama buries the hatchet in the marriage of Louise Drew only daughter of John Drew actor to Jack Devereaux who is to be for the second Plattsburg training camp and may soon be fighting in France where his father was educated

Bridge Aprons Latest Fads

War knitting has invaded even the gatherings of bridge enthusiasts, and to make the knitting as convenient as possible the bridge apron has been devised Many hostesses in the larger cities are now loathe to invite guests for a bridge party unless they have an ample supply of bridge aprons, and of course the four aprons for each table must match the table cover, to preserve harmony of appointments

Each bridge apron is provided with a pocket across the front, in which to drop one's war knitting and incidentally the tally, pencil and scorecard While acting as 'dummy' an accomplished knitter can frequently do a row or two, and in these days of need for knitted articles for the soldiers every row is doubly important

Another new fad evolved from war time needs, is the kahki apron with six pockets, designed for lady gardeners

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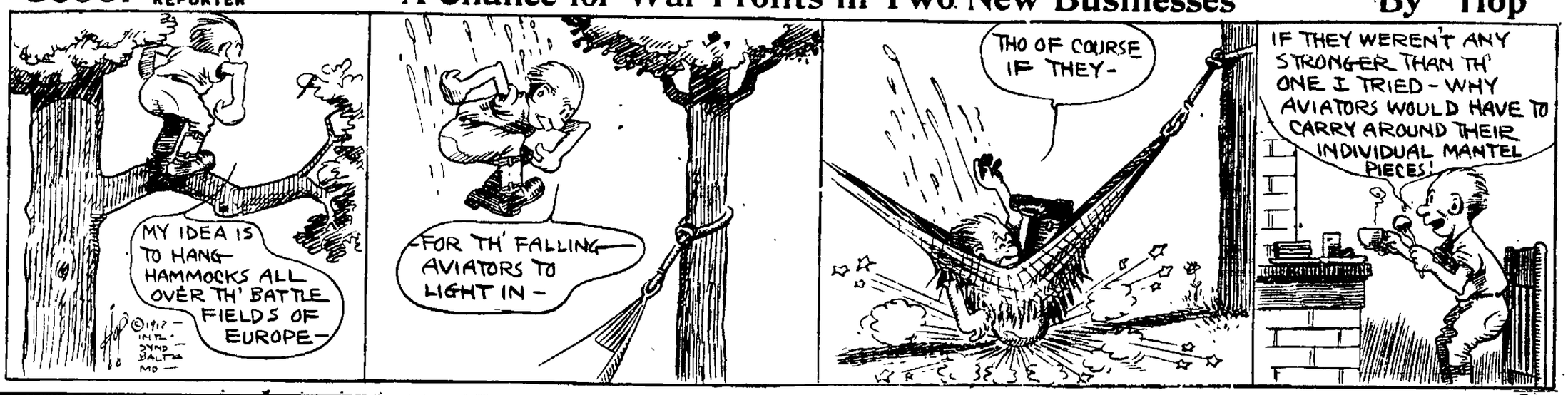

BASEBALL SCORES

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	75	48	610
Louisville	72	53	.576
St Paul	67	53	.558
Columbus	66	55	.546
Kansas City	55	62	.470
Milwaukee	52	65	.444
Minneapolis	51	70	.415
Toledo	43	78	.356

GAMES TUESDAY

Milwaukee, 6, Toledo, 1
Indianapolis, 6, St Paul, 1.
No other games played

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	71	39	.646
Philadelphia	59	47	.557
Cincinnati	62	53	.539
St Louis	61	54	.530
Chicago	59	56	.513
Brooklyn	53	58	.477
Boston	46	59	.438
Pittsburgh	36	76	.321

GAMES TUESDAY

Chicago at Philadelphia.

First game—

Club—	R.	H	E
Philadelphia	6	8	0
Chicago	0	1	3

Batteries — Bender and Killifer Vaughn and Elliott

Second game—

Club—	R	H	E
Philadelphia	2	4	1
Chicago	2	6	0

Batteries — Rixey, Lavender and Adams, Carter and Wilson

Cincinnati at New York.

Club—	R	H	E
New York	5	9	3
Cincinnati	7	11	0

Batteries—Sallee and Rariden, Regan, Eller and Wingo

St. Louis at Boston.

Club—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	1	1
St Louis	1	4	2

Game called in sixth inning on account of rain

Batteries — Hughes and Meyers; Goodwin and Snyder

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.

Club—	R	H	E
Brooklyn	3	11	1
Pittsburgh	3	8	1

(Thirteen innings—darkness)

Batteries—Pfeffer, Smith and Miller, Steele and Fischer

GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn
Cincinnati at New York
Chicago at Philadelphia
St Louis at Boston

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L	Pct.
Chicago	75	44	630
Boston	68	47	591
Cleveland	64	54	546
Detroit	61	55	526
New York	55	58	487
Washington	52	61	460
Philadelphia	43	69	384
St Louis	42	72	368

GAMES TUESDAY

Boston at Chicago.

Club—	R	H.	E
Chicago	2	7	0
Boston	0	5	1

Batteries—Russell and Schalk, Ruth and Agnew

Philadelphia at Cleveland.

Club—	R	H	E
Cleveland	10	21	0
Philadelphia	3	13	2

Batteries—Bagby and O'Neill, Meyers and Schang, Haley

New York at Detroit.

Club—	R.	H.	E
Detroit	0	4	1
New York	3	10	0

(Ten innings)

Batteries—Boland and Yelle, Shawkey and Nunamaker

GAMES TODAY

Washington at St Louis
New York at Detroit
Boston at Chicago
Philadelphia at Cleveland

Taking No Chances.

An observer of the vagaries of the golf ball says the little white sphere is as "unpredictable and elusive as a woman, you never know what it is going to do." A wise man will save his reputation as a prophet by not trying to guess.—Exchange.

Why My Dad Will Win World Series

Roy Rowland's Message

TO THE BOYS OF AMERICA

ROY ROWLAND — CLARENCE ROWLAND

Son of White Sox Manager Tells Why His Dad's Club Is Best in World

BY ROY ROWLAND

(Son of Manager "Pants" Rowland and Mascot of Chicago White Sox.)

Of course I think dad's team is going to win the American league pennant and then beat the Giants in the world series, and I am glad to have a chance to tell the boys of America why I think so.

You see, I've been traveling around with the club so long that it's pretty hard for me to even think that they can be beaten, but then by being with the club all the time, I get to know baseball pretty well and can size the other clubs up.

Then when I think about the other clubs and our club, well, I just can't see how anyone is going to beat us.

I think we are going to win because we have the pitching and the hitting which wins ball games and the spirit which won't be licked. Why say, when we lost first place down at Boston, I wish all you fellows could have been around to see how we worked together to win those last two games and get back into the lead.

You boys know how it is on your ball clubs when you have a hard game ahead. If you go out there just kind of thinking maybe you will get beat, chances are you will but if you go out on the diamond, fighting and thinking that you are going to win no matter what happens, the breaks have to be pretty tough for you to lose that game.

It's just the same way on a big league club. The spirit of the club has a lot to do with it.

That's the main reason I think dad's team is going to win. Every man is fighting every minute of the game and they are all talking about it at the hotel and in the club house. When they go on the field they go with the spirit that they won't be beaten.

And if we get into the world series they can't keep us from winning.

The Giants are the class of the National league, I know, but I don't believe National league baseball holds a candle to our league.

The Giants will be awful hard to beat because they are fighters but I think the class will tell and I think we have the class of the two teams.

SPORT GOSSIP

Chicago, Aug. 22. Word was received here recently that "Germany" Schaefer, the former "gloom killer" of the American league, who has been scouting for the New York Nationals, has reentered the ranks as an active player. Schaefer has signed a contract with his old friend Mike Doolan who is managing the Rochester club. Right after Schaefer signed his contract he jumped into the game, played second base and made three hits.

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Columbus, O., Aug. 22.—Ohio State University probably will have a football team this season, though for a time the outlook was dubious. Coach Mark Banks who has been at Athens, Ohio has told friends that he did not intend to make any further attempts to enter the military service, and expected to head athletics at Ohio in 1917-18. Banks tried his luck at the first camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison but after a few weeks he was dismissed because of a football injury received some years ago.

Out of about 30 men upon whom Banks was figuring as material for another championship eleven, only about 10 remain in school. The others have each entered some branch of the government service.

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Columbus, O. Aug. 22. Ivan "Swink" Boughton, who captained one of Ohio State's best football teams, is "somewhere in France." Boughton who is a lieutenant of the Veterinary Reserve corps, sent a cablegram to his folks here announcing his safe arrival.

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Joplin, Mo., Aug. 22.—Mike Giltner who has been playing baseball on the local Western league team, expects to study military tactics at the second officers' training camp. Giltner played end on the Missouri football team and was noted as a pitcher and slugger on the baseball nine.

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St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 22. The local Nationals have purchased two pitchers from the Little Rock club of the Southern association. They are Robinson and Tineup. Robinson at one time played with the St. Louis Nationals while Tineup who is a full blooded Indian was a member of the Philadelphia Nationals. Robinson has a record of allowing 2.06 earned runs in 35 games, while Tineup in 24 games permitted 2.22 earned runs per game.

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Fort Snelling, Minn., Aug. 22—The football season got under way here several days ago. Eight games were played simultaneously on the parade ground by teams made up of students in the first officers' reserve camp. Famous athletes from several of the leading colleges took part. Only one company was able to score a touchdown, and this was company 4, which had Ossie Solem and Paul Tobin, former stars on the Minnesota eleven, in the lineup. Others who were members of this company were Floyd Thomas, Fred Becker and Hugh Rosson of the Hawkeyes; Ellsworth Moser, Nebraska center and Comne of St. Thomas.

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Madison, Wis., Aug. 22.—Despite the fact that the great European war has made inroads on the gridiron latent on most of the big colleges, the University of Wisconsin expects to have as strong an eleven this season as it has had in three years. Many of the players upon whom Tom Jones director of athletics, depended for building a winner this fall are in some branch of the government service but the reserve talent is unusually good. Jones recently conferred with John Richards, who said he would return to Wisconsin to coach the eleven. He said he was anxious to return to the game after an absence of six years.

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Cleveland, O., Aug. 22.—The National Credit Men's Association which will hold its annual convention here August 21 to 24, is to devise means to eliminate the man who will not pay his bills. Fully 1,500 delegates from all sections of the United States are expected to attend the convention. Myron T. Herrick, former Ambassador to France, will speak at the banquet Friday night, August 24.

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Chicago, Aug. 22.—Ray Schalk, the mainstay catcher of the Chicago Americans seems to be the big cog in the machine with which Manager Rowland is making a race for the American pennant. Schalk has been catching day after day, and seems to be the one man who can steady the local club. Upon his ability to withstand the strain of catching continually every day will depend largely on the final showing of the club. When Schalk stepped out of the harness for a few days early in the season the club lost its stride, but when he donned the mask again, the machine began to run smoothly. Schalk is rated as one of the defensive receivers in the game.

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East Lansing, Mich., Aug. 22.—Chester L. Brewer, the new athletic director of the Michigan Agricultural College, will take up his duties about September 1, according to a letter to President Kedzie. He was to have reported August 1, but was summoned by the government to take charge of physical training at Camp Funston, Texas.

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Chicago, Aug. 22.—James W. Coffroth, though a prosperous race horse magnate, being president of the Tijuana Jockey Club, hasn't eliminated the boxing game from his makeup entirely and is out with the announcement that the Mexican city will be the scene of at least two big fights. One probably will be between Benny Leonard, lightweight champion and some worthy foe and the other he hopes will bring Jess Willard, heavyweight champion, against the winner of the Carl Morris-Fred Fulton match. Coffroth already has closed a contract for Carl Morris in the event Morris defeats Fulton.

"How will you get Willard? I don't think he cares to fight," said Nate Lewis, manager for Morris.

"I'll bid so high for the match he can't say no without announcing his retirement from the ring. There is plenty of money in Tijuana and I can afford to bid high," said Croffoth.

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Detroit, Mich., Aug. 22.—Admirers of Harry Coveleskie, the big left hander of the Detroit Americans, are considerably concerned over his poor showing this year. When the Tigers jumped back from New York recently for a Sunday game with Chicago, the Pole was left behind when Detroit resumed its eastern swing. Hughey Jennings was quoted at the time in a local newspaper as saying that unless Coveleskie showed a decided improvement when the team returned, he would not be used again this season. Coveleskie said that a muscle or tendon in his left shoulder was bothering him.

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Detroit, Mich., Aug. 22—The future of harness racing in Michigan is a topic of considerable discussion among the followers of the sport. This year's Grand Circuit meetings in Detroit and Kalamazoo admittedly were not successful and at their conclusion the opinion was freely expressed that Michigan next year might not see the trotters and pacers of the big cline. Poor attendance characterized the races at Kalamazoo. Lack of interest following the abolition of betting caused the abrupt termination of the local meeting.

Whether Detroit will again seek a place on the Grand Circuit will be decided at a meeting of the Detroit Driving club in the near future.

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St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 22—One of the city's leading marathon runners—Henry Levinson, has passed the physical examination for the new national army. Levinson has tried several times to enlist in the army, but always was "turned down" because he lacked the required height. He said he does not claim exemption and is willing to serve his country. His greatest success in the yearly marathons which he started to compete in in 1909, came in 1914, when he finished fourth. Sidney Hatch and Kennedy were ahead of him that year. He is 24 years old.

SINGING IS LOST ART TODAY

In This Age It Is Largely Confined to the Professional Performers, Even in the Churches.

Singing, as far as most people are concerned, is a lost art. Thousands attend operas, recitals and musical comedies, but, as for singing themselves informally at their work or play, they have forgotten how. In times past people of all ranks sang together as a matter of course. Sailors sang at their work; peasants, shepherds, cowboys, all had their favorite and appropriate songs. The songs of children at games, the lullabies of mothers, are in the collected ballads and folklore of many peoples.

"The pastimes and labors of the husbandman and the shepherd," says Andrew Lang, according to the Indianapolis News, "were long ago a kind of natural opera. Each task had its own song; planting, seeding, harvesting, burial, all had their appropriate ballads or dirges.

"The whole soul of the peasant class breathes in its burdens as the great sea resounds in the shell must up on the shore."

Nowadays the whirl of machinery makes all the noise. The workers in mills might find it unsatisfying to sing at their work, but it is doubtful if they would sing even if their voices could be heard, while singing in an office or store would pretty surely be stopped by the "boss" or the police. Thousands congregate every night in the silence of moving picture theaters, and even in the churches where singing by the congregation used to be customary, the attendants now usually listen in silence to a paid singer.

Singing in this age is largely confined to the professional performer.

WOMEN WEAVE STRAW HATS

All People of Island Depend Upon Earnings of Few Cents a Day Each for Their Living.

Next to the transshipment activities of Mount Pleasant, the weaving of straw hats is the chief source of income of the people, says Commerce Reports. The hats woven are of a cheap quality, the standard selling in 1916 for from $1.30 to $1.43 per dozen. The straw for these hats is at present imported from Venezuela and Colombia, but the Dutch government is attempting to raise it in Dutch Guiana.

The hats are woven by the women and children in their homes, and by moderate industry a woman can complete a hat in one day. All over the island from early morning until after sunset the weaving goes on. The Syrian purchasers, who collect the hats from house to house, pay about ten or eleven cents each. Although the straw for a hat costs the weaver from five to seven cents and the amount realized from a day's work is very small, many of the people depend entirely upon their meager earnings from this industry.

In the government school hat weaving is taught and some of the natives attain a high degree of skill, producing hats said to equal the best made in Colombia. The better grades do not enter into the export statistics of the colony, as they are bought by tourists; the quality of the standard hat does not improve.

Model Fish Market.

There is a model fish market in Copenhagen built by the municipality. With the exception of the large varieties, like cod and halibut, all the fish are kept alive in tesellated tanks with running water.

LOVE IN DARK CONTINENT

How Shadrach, Aged Twelve, Violated the Rules Against Courting at College of West Africa.

Although "courting" had been strictly prohibited at the College of West Africa, Shadrach, aged twelve, tried to slip this note to his beloved lady one morning at chapel. But, alas for him! it fell into his teacher's hands, says the World Outlook.

"Dear Miss Louise: Simply thease few words hoping and trusting you are injoying the very best of help this p. m. I am writing you and asking you only a word about love. I want you to tell me if you really love me or not. My dear you must consiter over your mind you must not do like a bird up in the air. Ah the love I have for you. You don't know my heart and I don't know yours but I think you have some kind of love for me, miss. You know how love is deep it is so deep in my heart as the bird sings up in the air, but Louise you must not tell me any lie whatever you must tell me the truth, whenever you want anything, ask me and I will give it to you, but you know is not every day a man have money but I will try my best for you, oh you sweet heart you know how I love you because for your beauty. Ah I love you my dear louisest. You must not let candy by your love candy isnt anything what ever. If you want candy tell me and I will get it for you Louisest. O louisest do you here what I say to you if you dont understand what I have to say you must ask me if you dont understand and I will tell you, and again if you eat so much of candy it will rotting all your tooth out and how will you look then. ah dear I dont wharnt you not to have any tooth in your head so you must stop eating so much candy. You can eat some but not too much because it will make you sick, and darling I wont like to see you Sick if I could hear what Bishop —— say to you so he can carry you to America so you can learn some thing in live, dont let him send you up the river because I want you to be a woman in life and I want you to promise me if you will ever remember me even to the end of both of us and I will promise you the same, nothing more to say. yous truly boy.

Shadrach."

CIRCUS PEOPLE FIGHT HARD

They Stop at Nothing When Engaged in Warfare Which Has Marked Business Since Early Days.

When circus people fight they stop short of nothing, according to one of them, Courtney Ryley Cooper, whose interesting experiences with circus wars are told in Everybody's. Some of the most "annoying" details are given at length.

"Sand finds its way into car journals, causing hot boxes and a delay in the arrival of the show trains. Poison sometimes gets into the meat that is fed to the 'principal' animal act, with the result that tigers and lions turn their toes to the sun and the circus loses one of its best acts. Wagon wheels come off mysteriously—it is easy to loosen the nuts of a wagon in the darkness of night on a circus lot. Health departments receive sudden announcements of epidemics among people or stock, and hold the circus until both can be examined. Working men are bought away, and delays created by every scheme and device. Fighting circuses have even accused each other of throwing railroad switches and causing wrecks. Taking it by and large, 'dirty opposition' is a gay and exciting existence.

"And where it all began is beyond the annals of circusdom. It was here before we came into the game. Grizzled old men around the stake-and-chain wagon tell stories that were history when they were children. Years of warfare, then short spasms of peace and 'gentlemanly conduct'—such is the history of the circus from the time of Barnum. Then men called each other thieves and cutthroats and robbers and embezzlers and burglars, through the newspapers, and the circus magnate who owned the most vitriolic press agent was by far the wisest snowman."

Don't Be Obstinate.

It is surprising how many people do not know the difference between obstinacy and firmness. Some persons feel uncomfortable over standing by their principles, for fear some one will think them obstinate, and others pride themselves on never making a concession to please anyone, and imagine they are beautifully firm. It is quite important to get the difference quite clear in your own mind since firmness is one of the most necessary virtues, and obstinacy one of the most serious faults.—Exchange.

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WANTED—Roomers and boarders, at Dunraven, 212 Third street. Under new management. 8-9-1mo

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WANTED—Second hand automobile. Ford preferred. Address 223 care Tribune. 8-22-3t.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Car. Call or write 504 Ninth St. north, Bismarck. 8-17-6t

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Fraternity pin Saturday night. Initials "P. J. R." Finder return same to Tribune office and receive reward 8-22-3t

LOST—Aug. 20, on road between the Katz livery barn, Second St., Bismarck, and the J. A. Fields farm, a seal brown overcoat, made of rough finished goods; pair of gloves and map of Virginia in pockets. Finder, leave with Robert R. Boyd, 620 Sixth St., Bismarck, N. D., or notify B. Boyd, Menoken, N. D., and receive reward of $5.00. B. Boyd, Menoken, N. D. 8-21-6t

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern room at 509 Eighth street. 8-22-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping in modern house. 1100 Broadway. 8-22-4t

FOR RENT—Large, comfortable room in modern house. 522 Second street 8-20-3t

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house; 400 Fourth St. 8-16-3t

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FOR RENT—Rooms. Phone 377K. 8-11-1mo

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FOR RENT—Rooms. 620 Sixth St. 7-27-1mo

FOR RENT—Strictly modern room. 814 Ave B. Phone 384R. 7-25-1mo

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms Call at the Business college or phone 183 7-13-1mo

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POSITION WANTED—By a trustworthy manager of a meat market, first-class cutter; also, all around man. Address, Box 192, Dickinson, N. D. 8-16-6t

LANDS

FOR SALE—At a special bargain, 26 acres land near city, with team, wagon, plows and other equipment. J. K. Doran. 8-17-6t

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FOR SALE—One six room and one four room modern house with large barn, situated on 3 lots, 2 blocks from P. O. For quick sale $3,000. Address 20 Broadway, City.

FOR RENT—Completely furnished and modern house, close in, for the winter, to couple. References required. Address 352, Tribune office. 8-21-tf

FOR SALE—By owner; new six-room bungalow, strictly modern, good location; very reasonable terms. Write No. 239, care Tribune. 8-21-6t

FOR RENT—Modern house. Inquire 422 First St. 8-18-3t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished flat in modern house; no children 807 Fourth St. Phone 404R. 8-21-5t

FOR SALE—Modern, five-room bungalow in choicest part of the city. $600 will swing the deal. Address 238, Tribune. 8-20-1mo

FOR RENT—Modern 4-room flat, partly furnished; also, small garage. Inquire 400 Seventh St., or 'phone 506L. 8-20-3t

FOR RENT—Small furnished house, 2 blocks west of postoffice; moderate terms. Phone 332R. 8-18-4t

FOR RENT—Six room apartment in duplex Phone 35. 8-17-3t

FOR RENT—Four-room house; Rosser street, near Fifteenth. Apply Mrs. A. W. Lucas, 48 Ave. A. 8-14-12t

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To rent a furnished hotel or rooming house in Bismarck or Mandan. Have had several years' experience in hotel business. Inquire of 240, Tribune. 8-22-1t

FOR SALE—On account of other business interests which demand immediate attention, will sell grocery and meat market, well stocked, including fixtures and lease of building. All clean stock, fine location and doing good business. Will invoice about $8,000. Write Baker's Grocery, Dickinson, N. D. 8-21-3t

WANTED—Well broken bird dog. Apply to F. A. Knowles, Bismarck. 8-20-3t

FOR SALE—Old ivory baby buggy, in good condition, and new gasoline stove. Call at 503 Ninth St. 8-18-6t

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture, library table, rocker, piano, Studebaker car, linoleum. Phone 307X, or call 810 Sixth St. 8-18-2t

WHEN IN ASHLEY, N. D., STOP AT the Home Hotel. First-class meals and beds. Charges, moderate. Mrs. John Weber. 8-21-6t

FOR SALE OR RENT—Only tailor shop in thriving town on main line. Address No. 234, care Tribune 8-16-6t

GOOD NEWSPAPER OPPORTUNITIES—Harry M. Case, publisher of the McVille (N. D.) Journal, is in touch with two North Dakota newspapers that are for sale. Both plants are money makers and good purchases for the right man. If you are interested in getting satisfactory locations, write him at once. 8-20-2t

BEER BOTTLES WANTED—Highest prices for quart and pint bottles. Geo. Coleman.

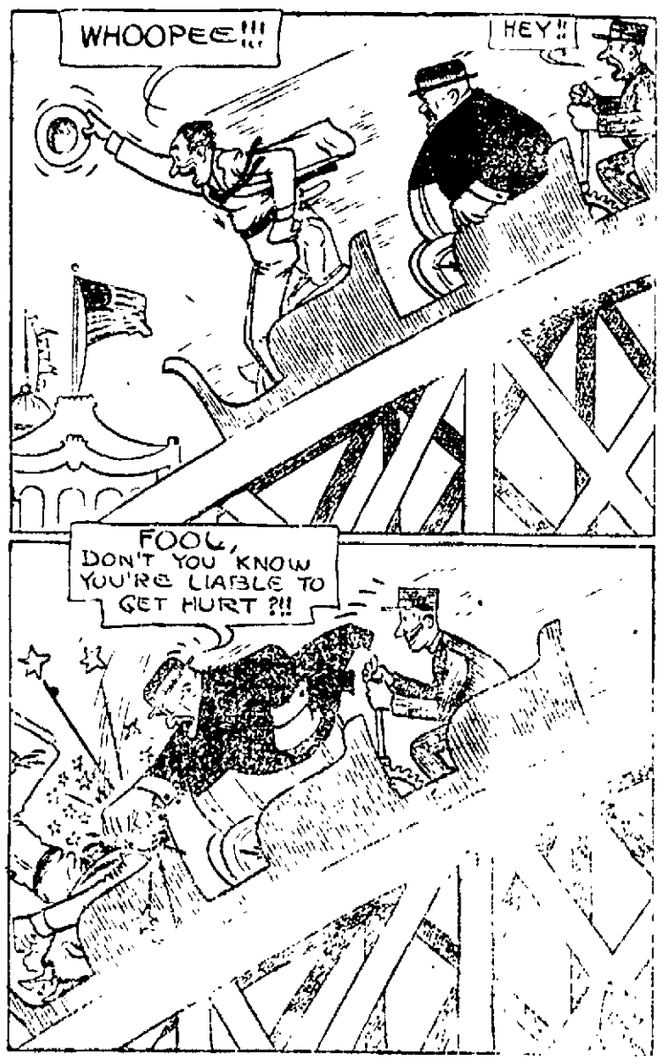
Tribune want ads will bring results.

English Get New Name for War Profits From America

The United States has given to the English vocabulary a new word with which to describe speculative profit on foodstuffs. This is now uniformly alluded to by the English press as the "rake-off." On its first appearance the word was carefully explained as an Americanism. Then it appeared continuously in quotation marks, always with a haziness as to whether it should be two words or compounded. Now it has been standardized, but there still exists so much doubt in regard to its derivation that in fully half the papers it appears capitalized, which is regarded as a real tribute to the great American game from which it comes. The English called it "profiteering."

The Outbursts of Everett True

By Condo



WOULD MAINTAIN SCHOOL STANDARD

Government Bureau Urges That Efficiency Be Kept Up During the War.

SECOND TO DEFENSE NEEDS

Salaries of Teachers Should Not Be Lowered, It Is Urged, Although Costly Building May Be Postponed.

Officials of Uncle Sam's bureau of education strongly contend that it is of the utmost importance that there shall be no lowering in the efficiency of the nation's systems of education because of the war. They believe that schools and other agencies of education must be maintained at whatever necessary cost and against all hurtful interference with their regular work, except as may be necessary for the national defense, which is, of course, the immediate task and must be kept constantly in mind, and have right of way everywhere and at all times. From the beginning of our participation in the war, they point out, we should avoid the mistakes which some other countries have made to their hurt and which they are now trying to correct.

Right in this connection it is pointed out that if the war should be long and severe, there will be great need in its later days for young men and women of scientific knowledge, training and skill; and it may then be much more difficult than it is now to support our schools, to spare our children and youth for other service and to permit them to attend school. Therefore, contend Uncle Sam's educational experts, no school should close its doors now or shorten its term unnecessarily. All young men and women in college should remain and use their time to the very best advantage, except such as may find it necessary to leave for immediate profitable employment in some productive occupation or for the acceptance of some position in some branch of the military service, which position cannot be so well filled by any one else. All children in the elementary schools, and, as nearly as possible, all high school pupils should remain in school through the entire session.

Trained Men and Women Needed.

This question of the war and education has been taken up seriously by experts of the bureau. They point out further in this connection that when the war is over, whether within a few months or after many years, there will be such demands upon this country for men and women of scientific knowledge, technical skill and general culture as have never before come to any country. This country must play a far more important part than it has in the past in agriculture, manufacturing and commerce, and also in the things of cultural life—art, literature, music, scientific discovery.

A right conception of patriotism should induce all students, say the bureau officials, who can render some immediate service of great value to remain in college, concentrate their energy on their college work, and thus be all the more ready and fit when their services may be needed either for war or for the important work of reconstruction and development in our own and other countries when the war shall have ended.

Should Not Cut Salaries.

All schools of whatever grade should remain open with their full quota of officers and teachers. The salaries of teachers should not be lowered. It is contended, in this time of unusual high cost of living. When possible, salaries should be increased in proportion to the services rendered. Since the people of the country will be taxed heavily by the federal government for the payment of the expenses of the war, it is urged by the officials that teachers should be willing to continue to do their work, and do it as well as they can as a patriotic duty, even if their salaries cannot now be increased. Schools should be continued in full efficiency, but in most cases costly building may be postponed.

During school hours and out of school, on mornings, afternoons, Saturdays and during vacation all older children and youth should be encouraged and directed to do as much useful productive work, it is urged by these experts, as they can without interfering with their more important school duties. This productive work should be so directed as to give it the highest possible value, both economically and educationally. While the war for the safety of democracy is in progress and when it is over there will be greater need for effective machinery for the promotion of intelligent discussion of the principles of democracy.

EVERY IDEA STUDIED

Uncle Sam's Bureaus Maintain "Open-Mind" Policy.

Men of High and Low Degree Give Army Officials Tips on How to Win the War.

Uncle Sam, in prosecuting the war, is endeavoring to take advantage of every idea that a citizen of the country may have regarding the proper method of conducting military affairs. Regarding this policy, the war department has made the following statement:

"Ever since the United States entered the present war it has been the policy of the war department to bring its executive personnel as much as possible into contact with the sort of people who come to Washington with original ideas. This receptive attitude has been very aptly nicknamed the 'open-mind' policy, and although it gets the bureau heads and executive officers in for a great deal of extra work, anybody who carries with him the seed of a useful idea is welcomed and his plan given the most thoughtful consideration. In a word, the war department wants to make use of the brains of the American people and is willing to comb out a great mass of fanciful schemes, knowing as they do that the thousand-and-first idea submitted to them might contain the germ of radical improvement in our method of carrying out our end of the world conflict.

"To maintain the 'open-mind' policy requires a great deal of patience and forbearance on the part of officers who, ordinarily, would be too busy to listen to elaborate patent plans for ending the war. Many of the propositions have nothing to recommend them but the charm of novelty and romance. It has been said that the late Jules Verne thought of more military innovations than Zeppelin or Edison ever dreamed of. But the record for dreaming is held by several of the applicants who, in the past few weeks, have come with vast projects to help the government in its present crisis.

"For instance, one enterprising young man has a brilliant plan to make the record number of recruits in the shortest possible time. He has applied for permission to walk the streets clad in a patent suit of clothes of his own designing. The suit consists of a half-in-half effect so built that if you look at him from the right side the wearer presents the appearance of a khaki-clad private of infantry, but the view from the left side shows the astonished spectator a rather effeminately clad civilian wearing a monocle and a straw hat. The front view of this apparition is that of a man cut into two ill-matched halves—right side, hero; left side, tango lizard. The placard to go with this motley make-up is, "Don't Be Half a Man."

"Every hour a great many men—and some women—come in with plans to reorganize the army, plans to improve the card-index system of keeping track of enlisted men, plans to speed up military efficiency by means of numbering the buttons on soldiers' coats. As fast as the details of each scheme are discussed the applicants are turned over to the proper experts and the merits or demerits of each case carefully considered. The case of the genius who discovered how to locate lurking submarines by means of a flock of sea gulls, trained to hover and pounce upon the hidden monster, is now a matter of record. New systems of army discipline are continually being offered and rejected on the grounds that they were found antiquated before the Civil war.

"Every day a great many men of importance and responsibility come in to offer suggestions. Also men, hitherto obscure, frequently submit ideas and inventions of inestimable importance. In fact, the war department has profited immensely by its policy of the "open mind," and many great plans—quite naturally kept secret—have been born of these simple, serious conferences with all comers who think they have found something which may aid the government."

Tea Imports From Japan.

The total exports from Japan to America during the 1916-17 season (May, 1916, to April, 1917, inclusive) were 41,534,700 pounds, according to statistics published by the Yokohama and Tokyo foreign board of trade and forwarded to Uncle Sam.

Three Crops Where One Grew.

The people in the Fresno district, California, who formerly took but one crop from their land, by intensive cultivation this year will take from two to three crops before December.

A Statesman's Funeral.

When the famous Li Hung Chang was buried all his umbrellas, vestments, scrolls of titles, etc., accompanied him to the grave, and prominent among these was a white cock in a cage, which was to lead the departed statesman's spirit to the heavenly destination, London Tit-Bits says.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE MISSOURI VALLEY MOTOR COMPANY.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Missouri Valley Motor company is hereby called, by the directors of the company, to be held at the principal office of the company in the city of Bismarck, North Dakota, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, the fifteenth day of September, 1917.

The object of said meeting is, by the stockholders consent, to authorize the Board of Directors to increase the capital stock of the company to one hundred thousand ($100,000) dollars.

Dated at Bismarck, N. D., July 14, 1917.

JOS. P. HESS,
Secretary.
7-18-25-8-1-8-15-22-29 9-5-12

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the undersigned at Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Steele N. D., up to 2 o'clock p. m., Aug. 25, 1917, for the erection of a building for electric light plant for the Steele Light & Power company, to be erected on right of way of Northern Pacific Railway company facing Haupt and Yerxes avenues in Steele, N. D.

All bids must be in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by H. A. Hamby, architect, Steele, N. D., and must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the amount of the proposal, made payable to W. W. Paige, treasurer, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract and furnish bond in the full amount of the contract.

Plans may be seen at Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Steele, N. D., at the office of Miller & Palmer, Tuttle, N. D., and the Builders Exchange, Jamestown, N. D.

Steele Light & Power company reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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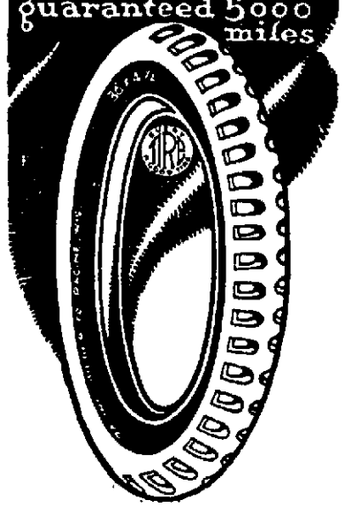
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TAYLOR NAMED BY KOSITZKY AS HEAD OF NORMAL

Appearance of Popular Educator's Name in Official State Directory Causes Joy

Dickinson, N. D., Aug. 22.—The fact that the name of former state superintendent of Public Instruction L. J. Taylor appears in the official directory prepared by State Auditor Kositzky as president of the new Dickinson state normal has occasioned much favorable comment locally.

Mr. Taylor, former superintendent of schools in Grand Forks county and who served three terms as state superintendent of public instruction, taught a summer school for teachers here this year and Dickinson was agreeably impressed with his ability. The state board of regents declines to go on record as to his appointment, although it is believed a majority of the members would favor Taylor. It is understood that Mr. Taylor also has the endorsement of N. C. MacDonald of Valley City, who defeated Taylor for re-election last fall.

Inasmuch as necessity for economy dictated the slicing of the Dickinson normal appropriation in half, no effort will be made to open the school until a year from September, and in the meantime the board of regents is maintaining silence on the subject of the presidency. P. S. Berg, superintendent of the Dickinson public schools, has been considered as a probable head of the new institution, but it is understood that he declines the honor.

ADAMS COUNTY ENJOYS HONOR OF PROVIDING FIRST MEN FOR ARMY

List of 12 Registrants Accepted for Service Certified to Adjutant General

The state exemption board yesterday certified to the adjutant general North Dakota's first twelve members of the great national army. All are Adams county young men, who were examined early, accepted by the local board, certified to the district board, and accepted by the latter after the period allowed for appeal had elapsed. Today accepted candidates from Billings and Grand Forks counties were certified to the adjutant general and to the county exemption boards. The district board is now in session and will continue to work until North Dakota's thirty percent of the net quota which is to be called into service September 5, has been accepted. Chairman Luther E. Birdzell announced this morning that he is confident North Dakota will be ready for the first call.

GOODWIN GOES TO FRONT TO BE Y. WAR DIRECTOR

Worker Formerly in Charge of Association Activities Here Assigned to Deming

Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 22.—Secretary L. E. Goodwin of the local Y. M. C. A. work at Fort Lincoln, has left with Mrs. Goodwin for a short visit with her parents in Fargo, whence they will go to Colon, Mich., for a brief stay with his parents, after which Mr. Goodwin will report for active duty as secretary of one of the large Y. M. C. A. buildings at Deming, N. M., where one of the great training camps for the national guard is located.

GARAGE DESTROYED

Building Burned to Ground at New England; Now Rebuilding

New England, N. D., Aug. 22.—The Aaby & Hagen garage was completely destroyed by a fire early in the morning entirely destroying the large frame building and most of its contents, with a loss of $3,500. The firm already has begun work on a new home, which will be thoroughly modern and fireproof.

DELIVERIES ONLY UNTIL NEXT SATURDAY

Homan's bakery, rather than to raise prices, have decided to discontinue making deliveries after Saturday, Aug. 25, thus eliminating, for the present at least, increase in charges on baked goods. By taking your packages home with you you buy more economically, as has been proven in the larger eastern cities.

HOMAN'S BAKERY

WHY DO RUSSIAN WOMEN FIGHT?

Charles Edward Russell, the Tribune's staff correspondent who went to Russia on the Root commission by appointment of President Wilson, has returned and is now telling Tribune readers why the Russian women are taking up arms for democracy.

A cataclysm that puts women in the trenches of war is worth seeing at first hand. View this gigantic canvass of treachery, revolt, anarchy, patriotism and rebirth through the trained eyes of one of the world's

CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL

most capable observers—Charles Edward Russell. As a member of the official United States commission to the Russian government, Russell was an eye-witness of the thrilling upheaval in Russia. He had his finger on the life pulse of the Russian people when that pulse was beating hottest. All he heard and saw, and all he concluded from his observations is appearing exclusively in The Daily Tribune. It is not only the most absorbing, but also the most important series of articles springing out of the world war.

Have The Tribune left at your home. Its special news features are too big to miss.

MURDERER MAY GET NEW TRIAL; EDITOR JUROR NOT KIDDER CITIZEN

Steele, N. D., Aug. 22.—Clean Nash, a hopeless cripple, who is serving a life sentence in the state penitentiary at Bismarck for the murder of Earl Hicks, a homesteader, whom he is alleged to have shot in cold blood in the latter's shack near Robinson last December, may have a new trial, because Associate Editor Howard of the Steele Ozone, who sat on the jury which convicted Nash, was not a citizen of Kidder county at that time. It is alleged that Mr. Howard, who recently came to Steele from McHenry county, had not established a legal residence here when he was called as a juror.

CITY NEWS

Here from Richardton—Mrs. Pierce of Richardton was among the shoppers in the capital city Monday.

Wing Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Glynn and son of Wing were in the city Monday shopping and calling on friends.

Here from Mandan—Mr. and Mrs. William Hartley and son of Mandan were guests of Mrs. Hartley's mother, Mrs. Gilbert, of this place, Sunday.

Buys Larson Home—Attorney J. A. Hyland has purchased the Mrs. Louise Larson house on Sixth street and expects to occupy same the first of September.

In Hospital—Walter Penwarden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Penwarden, is ill from typhoid fever in the St. Alexius hospital. He is getting along nicely.

Returns from Buying Trip—Miss Inez Jones of the millinery department of A. W. Lucas store has returned from Chicago, where she has been for some time attending the fashion shows for 1917-18 and purchasing her fall stock. Miss Jones says the hats are for the most part small and soft, mostly trimmed high, while the large hats will be trimmed flat.

LARGE WOOLEN MILLS WORKING FOR U. S.

The F. A. Patrick & Co. of Duluth, owners of large woolen mills, is devoting the entire woolen mill on Rice's point and their garment factory for the production of cloth and overcoats for the United States navy. The government is furnishing the wool and dyestuffs and all of the linings, buttons and findings for the coats. C. M. Henry Hollst of Sixth street is the local representative for the firm.

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HOME GUARD UNITS MUST NOT HOLD TARGET SHOOTS ON FIRST DAY OF WEEK?

Another Puzzle Put Up to Attorney General Langer, Enforcer of Blue Laws

Attorney General William S. Langer is beginning to sicken of Sunday blue laws. He is hearing today from sportsmen all over the state who received his instructions to deputy game wardens for the arrest of city gunners found shooting birds on Sundays. And now, from Cass county, comes an even more puzzling question.

Cass has a home guard company which has made a practice of utilizing its target range on Sundays, the only day in the week when all of the members can get together. A stickler for strict observance of Sunday laws insists that the attorney general stop this practice. The home guard units clearly do considerable shooting on the Sabbath, and the laws which the attorney general has sworn to enforce specifically prohibit shooting on Sundays.

The buck has been passed temporarily to State's Attorney Fowler of Cass county, or at least the protestant has been advised to file a complaint with him. Whether this has been done cannot be learned.

WATERFOWL MAY BE HELD IN COLD STORAGE; ONLY CHICKENS ARE UNDER BAN

Steele, N. D., Aug. 22.—Ducks, geese and brant may be placed in cold storage as usual, Secretary George M. Hogue of Steele reported today. It is only on the storage of prairie chickens and grouse that the game laws adopted by the last legislative assembly lay a ban. This statement is made to correct a general impression that the new acts seek to prevent the storage of any wild fowl. Deputy game wardens, Mr. Hogue states, will seek to prevent the storage of chickens and grouse, but will not interfere with the customary shortage of any waterfowl.

I. W. W. MEMBERS WON'T STRIKE

Missoula, Mont., Aug. 22.—A referendum vote on orders issued by James Rowan, district secretary, for a general strike of the I. W. W. in Montana, Idaho, Washington, and Oregon, was postponed for at least two weeks, and perhaps prevented a walkout of construction laborers according to Arthur Smith, I. W. W. secretary here.

"There probably will be no strike," Mr. Smith said. "Since immigration restrictions were suspended a week ago by the American and Canadian governments, men have gone forth from this district at the rate of 50 a day to work in the Canadian harvest fields. Should the lumber camps and the Butte mines grant the demands of the I. W. W. today they would not find one-fourth of the men needed here."

TRAINING CAMP QUOTA MADE UP OF MATURE MEN SAYS MAJOR STEEDMAN

North Dakota applicants selected as candidates for the second officers' training camp which opens at Fort Snelling next Monday, averaged in age between 28 and 29, stated Major R. R. Steedman today. Fifty-five of the candidates accepted, he announces, were more than 30 years old. This statement is made to correct a general impression that the bulk of North Dakota's candidates were selected from the ranks of very young men.

Colombia's Share.

Colombia is said to be annexing a large share of the castor oil trade formerly held by India.

INTRODUCING "KIND HEART," ONLY INDIAN CHORUS GIRL

LILLIAN HELMAR

By HOWARD MANN.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Meet the only Indian chorus girl—Miss Lillian Helmar. Don't crowd, gentlemen! She has never scalped a stage Johnny, but blood will tell, sometimes.

Miss Helmar was born beyond the foothills, but prefers to work beyond the footlights.

She is a Sioux, but he has never sued any Pittsburgh millionaire for breach of promise.

She was born in the Fort Peck reservation, Montana. Her real name is Weptomana, "Kind Heart."

Kind Heart left the tepee of her parents, which in this case is a brick bungalow, five years ago. Her first experience on the stage was in "The Squaw Man." She went into the movies. Her eyes bothered her and she went into musical comedy. She has been playing all summer in Chicago in the "Show of Wonders."

Kind Heart says she preferred the stage to the primitive pastimes of the original inhabitants. And why shouldn't she? She was educated in eastern private schools and never wore a bead necklace in her life, except to have her picture taken.

Twice each year Kind Heart returns to her people. "I feel a call," she says. "And when the time comes I have to force myself to go. There is something in my blood, I guess. It would be easy to drop back into the Indian life."

Kind Heart is probably the only actress who has to report regularly to Uncle Sam. Every time she changes companies or moves from one city to another she must forward her address to the Indian commissioner in Montana.

Wise old Uncle Sam keeps an eye on his wards even when they go on the stage—even, or especially.

"I have never been married nor anywhere near it," said Kind Heart. "But if I ever marry I will choose a widower who has had two or preferably three wives. A man who has been married is the only one who knows how to appreciate a wife."

So much for the philosophy of Weptomana.

DICKINSON WINS GOLF TEAM PLAY

Fargo Team Takes Third Place—Grand Forks Is Second Best

Dickinson, N. D., Aug. 22.—Dickinson yesterday won the state championship match play against bogey for teams for the second consecutive year with a total of only 84 down. Grand Forks was second with 137 down, Fargo third with 148 down, and Bismarck fourth with 156 down.

Kostelecky of Dickinson made one round in 36, which is one better than par and 5 better than bogey. He equaled the record for nine holes, and is picked to win the state championship.

Following is yesterday's scores.

Dickinson—Kostelecky, 2 up; Reuter, 4 down; Hunter, 5; Erdahl, 11; Hall, 13; Heaton, 16; Burnett, 18; Hughes, 18. Total, 84 down.

Grand Forks—Lovejoy, 5 down; McDonald, 15; Nunn, 16; Hewitt, 16; Roquette, 17; Kennedy, 18; Finsh, 20; Taylor, 30. Total, 137 down.

Fargo—Stanahan, 8 down; Bristol, 9; Sheldon, 11; Smith, 20; Twichell, 20; McNair, 24; Thomas, 27; Haider, 29. Total, 148 down.

Bismarck—Folsom, 4; Hintgen, 10; Tillotson, 18; Irysh, 19; Vesperman, 22; Bolster, 26; McClean, 28; Steele, 29. Total, 156 down.

Qualification rounds, 18 holes, began this morning and for ladies in the afternoon.

HEARING AT MEDINA

Railway Commission to Consider Petition for Better Phones

The state railway commission announces that a hearing will be held at Medina on September 5 to consider a petition of citizens for better local phone service. On the same date a hearing will be held on a petition for a crossing over the Northern Pacific four miles west of Medina.

WANNER TO SUBSTITUTE

Dickinson, N. D., Aug. 22.—Clerk of Court Valentine Koch, who leaves the end of the week for Fort Snelling to enter the second officers' training camp, has named Frank X. Wanner as deputy during his absence. Mr. Koch is Dickinson's only candidate.

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DAKOTA DOCUMENTS DATING BACK ALMOST 70 YEARS IN NEW COLLECTION AT MUSEUM

Dr. Gilmore Procures Cherished Contribution of Ancient Papers From Widow of Charles Cavalier, Leader in State From Time When Region Was Part of Old Minnesota Territory—Real Red River Cart Coming. First Mill Stone of Old St. Joe.

Ancient documents carrying the history of North Dakota back beyond earliest territorial days to a time when this vast domain was a portion of the territory of Minnesota have been posted in the state historical museum by Dr. Melvin R. Gilmore, curator, who has returned from a visit to Cavalier and Pembina county with a rich store of trophies presented to the state by the widow of the late Charles Cavalier, for whom the county of Cavalier was named.

Ancient Commissions.

Among the interesting papers is an appointment from President Millard Filmore making Charles "Cavilier" collector of customs for the district of Minnesota and inspector of revenue for the port of Pembina, in the territory of Pembina, executed Sept. 30, 1850. Another document is an appointment from Chester A. Arthur to Charles Cavalier to be postmaster at Pembina, in Dakota territory, in 1882.

The most ancient of all is a commission bearing the hand and seal of Alexander Ramsey, governor of Minnesota territory, issued Nov. 6, 1849, and naming Charles Cavalier of the county of Ramsey territorial librarian. Another commission which the family has preserved is one making Charles Cavalier corresponding member of the state historical society of Wisconsin, issued in 1854 and signed by Lyman C. Baker, corresponding secretary.

Cavalier Home Burned.

Mrs. Charles Cavalier and her daughter, Miss Laura, now are residing with friends at Pembina, their historic home having been burned in the fire which swept over a large portion of the old city early this summer. A majority of their possessions were saved, and are now stored at the homes of various friends. In order that they may be preserved to posterity, a majority of these relics of early days will be presented to the state historical library, to which they will form one of the most valued additions received in many years.

Real Red River Cart.

Another interesting find which the curator made during his stay in the northeastern part of the state is a genuine Red river cart in excellent state of preservation, owned by Charles W. Andrews of Walhalla and stored at Grand Forks, whence it is to be transported to the state museum at the capital. Charles H. Lee of Walhalla has promised to forward to the museum one of the millstones of the first mill established at old St. Joseph, now Walhalla. At Towner, Mrs. Perdrieux, who already has given the state a large collection belonging to her brother, the late Dr. Harris, has another contribution in view.

GRAIN MARKETS

DULUTH.

No. 1 northern	240	
No. 2 northern	235	
Oats to arr	51⅝	
Rye	173	
Rye to arr	171	@172
Barley	100	@127
Flax	357	
Flax on trk	357	
Flax to arr	357	
September	357	
October	351	
November	350	
December	344	

Close 1:42 p. m.

MINNEAPOLIS.

No 1 dark northern	252	@253
To arr in August	230	
No. 1 northern spring	245	@250
To arr in August	230	
No 1 northern	245	@250
To arr in August	230	
No 1 red spring	240	@245
No. 2 dark northern spg	250	
No. 2 northern spg	240	@245
No. 2 red spring	235	@240
No 3 dark northern spg	235	@215
No. 3 northern spring	235	@240
No. 3 red spring	230	@235
No 4 dark northern spg	235	@240
No. 4 northern spg	230	@235
No. 4 red spg	225	@230
No. 2 dk hd Mont winter	235	
No 2 yw hd Mont winter	220	
No. 3 dk hd Mont winter	225	
No 3 hard Mont	215	@220
No. 3 yw hd Mont	210	@215
No 1 durum	200	@205
No. 1 durum to arr	210	
No. 2 durum	190	@200
No. 3 durum	190	
No. 3 yellow corn	168	
No. 3 mixed corn	165	@167
Corn other grades	150	@165
No. 2 white oats	58	@58½
Standard white oats	53	@53½
No. 3 white oats	52½	@53
No 3 white oats to arr	52½	
No. 4 white oats	51½	@52
Barley choice	118	@123
Barley ordinary	97	@118
No. 2 rye	173	@174
No. 2 rye to arr	170	
No. 1 flax seed	345	@350
No. 1 flax seed to arr	345	
September wheat	211	
Old September oats	51½	
New September oats	51⅞	
Old December oats	52⅛	
New December oats	52⅜	
May oats	55½	

Close 2:25 p. m.

CATTLE MARKET

ST. PAUL.

HOGS—Receipts, 23,000; steady to lower. Range $17.50 to $18.75; bulk $18.25 to $18.40.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3,400; killers, steady; steers $5.00 to $13.00; cows and heifers $6 to $9.50; calves $6.50 to $13; stockers and feeders, $5.00 to $13.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 600; steady. Lambs $8.00 to $15.00; wethers $7.00 to $9.50; ewes $5.00 to $8.50.

CHICAGO

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; lower. Bulk $18.75 to $19.40; light $17.55 to $19.65; mixed $17.90 to $19.65; heavy $17.75 to $19.45; rough $17.17 to $17.90; pigs $12.75 to $17.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 13,000; steady to strong; Native beef steers $7.90 to $15.00; western steers $6.65 to $12.30; stockers and feeders $6.00 to $9.10; cows and heifers $4.40 to $12.50; calves $10.50 to $14.75.

SHEEP—Receipts 13,000; strong. Wethers, 7.75 to $11.10; lambs $10.25 to $16.75.

Mandan Visitor—Olaf Pehrson of Mandan, but formerly of this place, was a visitor in the city Monday.

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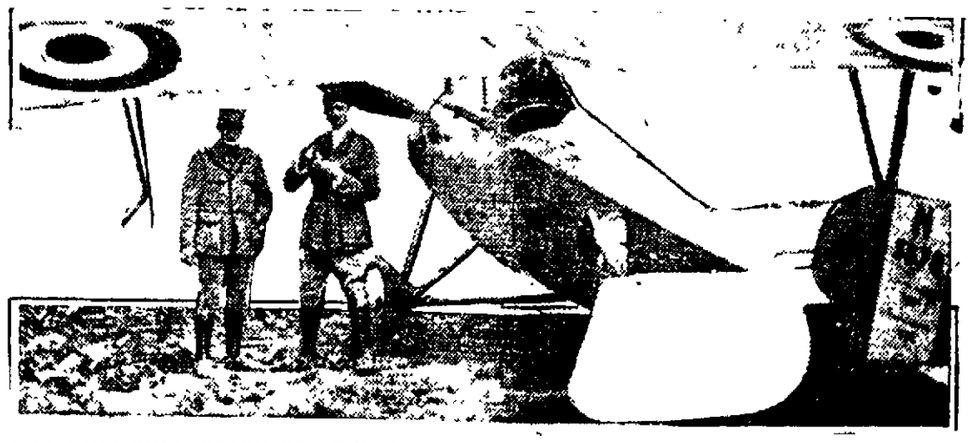

EXCLUSIVE PHOTOGRAPH FOR THIS PAPER BY CORRESPONDENT HENRY WOOD, TAKEN JUST AFTER COURTENY CAMPBELL HAD LANDED SAFELY "SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE"

A Courtney Campbell, Jr., of Kenilworth, Ill., member of the LaFayette squadron, on July 7 descended from an altitude of 6,000 feet somewhere in France with one wing of his machine gone, a feat hitherto unprecedented and always before considered impossible.

Campbell was making a reconnaissance at 4 o'clock in the morning when his lower left wing suddenly broke off and began beating violently against the tail in a manner to leave practically no chance for escape. Without losing his head Campbell first headed his machine nose downward for a few hundred feet and the force of the fall finally tore off the flapping wing, thus saving his rudder and steering control.

He then righted the machine and by throwing his entire weight onto the right wing in order to overcome the tendency of the wingless left side to fall more rapidly, succeeded in bringing his machine safely to earth a few miles from the LaFayette aviation camp. Entirely undaunted, Campbell was back in the air the same day on a new machine.

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